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OPEN FAIR SUNDAYS

Local Directory Decides for It Beginning May 21.

EXHIBIT BUILDINGS SHUT

May Visit Park, Plaisance, State and Foreign Homes.

ADMISSION TO BE 25 CENTS.

Commissioners Threaten to Negative the Board's Action.

OPINIONS OF INTERESTED MEN.

Members of the Chicago World's Fair Directory passed a resolution yesterday that the World's Fair should be open Sundays on and after May 21. They took this action upon the recommendation of Director Edwin Walker, the leading legal adviser of the board. After many hours of thought Mr. Walker, in consultation with Lyman J. Gage, Henry B. Stone, and others, came to the conclusion that Congress had no authority over anything other than the exhibits, and that the directory was free to act in accordance with the terms of the resolution which Mr. Walker presented. His resolution does not propose to open the exhibit buildings, the great structures in which the products of all countries are housed, but merely the grounds about them—the Plaisance and the State and foreign buildings—providing those in control of them so elect.

Inasmuch as the big exhibit buildings may not be entered by the visitors the directory proposes that a charge of but 25 cents be made to enter the grounds Sundays. The action of the directory was taken in accordance with what is believed to be public sentiment.

Members of the National World's Fair Commission are disposed to resent the assumed right of the local board to open the gates, even if the exhibit buildings remain closed. Most of those who were seen last night declared that the Directory could not, without the sanction of the Commission, put such a resolution into operation; and they have previously threatened that legal proceedings would be instituted if their concurrence was not secured before Sunday opening in any form were attempted.

The resolution creates a new regulation differing from the Sunday closing one adopted by both bodies. The commission will be in session today, and some action may be taken by it. Inasmuch, however, as there is no probability of a quorum being present, it will be unable either to authoritatively approve or reject the new rule. But there is little reason to doubt that, unless explanations accompany the resolution, there will be some bitter talk at today's session of the commission.

The Opening Resolution.

The meeting of the Board of Directors yesterday afternoon was one of the largest yet held. The only subject discussed was that of Sunday opening, and the session lasted several hours. When the final vote was reached it was found that the sentiment for an open Sunday at Jackson Park was really stronger than at first supposed. The special Committee on Legislation, composed of Edwin Walker, Ferdinand W. Peck, F. S. Winston, and Arthur Dixon, made its report, and after a full discussion of the question Edwin Walker introduced the resolutions, which were passed by a vote of 27 to 7. Those voting nay were

Directors E. G. Keith, I. N. Camp, Victor Lawson, C. L. Hutchinson, W. D. Kerfoot, W. P. Rutchan, and Mark L. Crawford.

The resolutions are as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the opinion of Edwin Walker, Chairman of the Committee on Legislation of this corporation, submitted herewith, the public be admitted to the grounds surrounding the Exposition buildings, the buildings containing exhibits remaining closed upon Sundays, and that the price of admission on such days be fixed at 25 cents.

Resolved, That this resolution take effect from and after May 21, 1893.

All afternoon there had been a group of people in the Rand-McNally Building waiting for the decision of the board, and the occasional director who ventured forth was eagerly questioned as to the probable result. Not until the last moment was the news given out, but it spread fast enough then. As a finale to the day's work the board, by a resolution, made Edwin Walker Solicitor-General for the Exposition.

Edwin Walker's Report.

The report of the Committee on Legislation, by its Chairman, Edwin Walker, defines the powers of the Exposition on the Sunday closing question. Mr. Walker holds that the acts of Congress refer to the exhibition which is inside the buildings, and not to the Fair grounds, which are not an exhibit. The grounds unoccupied by the buildings have been beautified and ornamented for the use of the public, but they have no special relation to the exhibit, nor are they a part of the Exposition. Mr. Walker does not believe that the prohibition of Congress can be extended to the public park and grounds. Again the committee does not believe it was the intention of Congress to prohibit the representatives of foreign nations and the Commissioners of States from visiting their buildings and temporary homes Sunday. Therefore the opinion of the committee is that the act of Congress of Aug. 5 only requires that all the main buildings containing exhibits installed for exhibition shall be closed to the public Sunday and that the admission of the public to the grounds and the buildings not devoted to exhibition purposes would not be in violation of the letter or spirit of the law. On this opinion the Board of Directors passed the resolution which opens every part of the World's Fair grounds to the public Sundays with the exception of those buildings wherein are placed exhibits.

This really leaves but a small part of the entire Fair still under the Sunday closure rule. The Midway Plaisance, with its scores of attractions, all the foreign buildings, all the State buildings, all the concessions of different kinds, and the other beautiful buildings of the White City where exhibits are not made will be thrown open. Then there will be the great structures, with an act of Congress barring their doors. That same act will not cover the buildings externally, so there will be beautiful sights, and all the show will be opened for 25 cents.

President Higinbotham Talks.

President Higinbotham said: "I think our vote today expresses our opinion as to what we desire to do, and I believe it is in accord with the sentiment of a large majority of the business-men and citizens of Chicago. Congress says the Exposition shall be closed Sunday, but it does not say that the gates of the park shall be closed! Suppose we saw fit to remove the fence which surrounds the park. There is nothing to prevent us from doing so. That would not be opening the Exposition so long as the doors of the buildings are closed and no exhibits are offered to view. I think the commission will see it is not opening the Exposition. We cannot tell what a day or week will bring forth. We may know more then than we know now. The vote today is simply an expression of our opinion made after careful inquiry and deliberation. Time will determine if any other change is necessary."

ONLY EXHIBIT BUILDINGS TO CLOSE.

Edwin Walker's Legal Opinion on the Sunday Prohibition Conditioned by Congress.

The resolution passed by the World's Fair Directors to open the gates Sunday was the result of the report submitted to that body by the Committee on Legislation. The members of that committee are Edwin Walker, Chairman; Ferdinand W. Peck, F. S. Winston, and Arthur Dixon. The report is as follows:

To the Board of Directors of the World's Columbian Exposition: Your President has requested that, as Chairman of the Committee of Legislation, I submit to the board at its present meeting an opinion relative to the obligations assumed by this corporation by its acceptance of the act of Congress of Aug. 5, 1892 with the conditions thereto attached, without any reference whatever to the subsequent act of Congress of March 3, 1893, as bearing upon or affecting such obligations. The act under consideration is entitled, "An act to aid in carrying out an act of Congress approved April 25, 1890," etc. Under this act, for the purpose of aiding in defraying the cost of constructing the World's Columbian Exposition, Congress appropriated $2,500,000 and directed the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the same to this corporation upon certain conditions. This corporation accepted the act, and has fully complied, upon its part, with all the conditions and obligations thereto attached. The inquiry of your President is directed to Sec. 4 of this act, which in substance provides that such appropriation was made upon the further condition that the "Exposition should not be open to the public on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday," and further provides that, if such appropriation be accepted by this corporation, it shall be, "and it is hereby made the duty of the World's Columbian Commission, created by an act of Congress April 25, 1890, to make such rules or modifications of the rules of said corporation as shall require the closing of the Exposition on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday." After formal acceptance, a rule was adopted by the Board of Directors providing that the Exposition should be open for the admission of visitors for six months, commencing May 1, and ending Oct. 30, 1893, on each day of the week, except on the first day of the week commonly called Sunday. This rule has not been amended or modified by the National Commission, and still stands as the rule of this corporation.

What Does Sec. 4 Mean?

The substantial question under consideration is, whether Sec. 4 of the act of Aug. 5, 1892, and the rule adopted in conformity therewith, require the exclusion of the public from Jackson Park and Midway Plaisance Sunday as well as from the buildings in which the various exhibits are installed. The act of Aug. 5 is in aid of the original act of April 25, 1890, under and by authority of which the World's Columbian Exposition is being held, and therefore in ascertaining the true intent and meaning of Congress we should construe both acts together. The title of the act of April 25 was as follows: "Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, that an exhibition of arts, industries, manufactures, and products of the soil, mine, and sea, shall be inaugurated in the year 1892, in the City of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, as hereinafter provided." It will be observed that the object and purpose of the act was to provide for an exhibition of arts, industries, etc. Sec. 2 provides that, "a commission to consist of two Commissioners from each State and Territory of the United States, and from the District of Columbia, and eight Commissioners at large, is hereby constituted, to be designated as the World's Columbian Commission." The duties and powers of the Commissioners are clearly defined by the law as well as the duties and obligations of this corporation. Sec. 5 provides "that said commission be empowered in its discretion to accept for the purpose of the World's Columbian Exposition such site as may be selected and offered, and such plans and specifications of buildings to be erected for such purpose at the expense of and tendered by this corporation." In this section the word "exposition" is used, but in the preceding sections and in the preamble and title of the act the word "exhibition" is used instead of exposition, and all through the act both words are indifferently used. Both words are relative terms, without material difference in meaning. Webster defines "exposition" as "a public exhibition or show; as of industrial and artistic productions." The same authority defines "exhibition" as "the act of exhibiting for inspection that which is exhibited, held forth, or displayed; a display of works of art, etc."

Refers to the Exhibits.

In my opinion the word "exposition," in the act of Aug. 5, 1892, refers to the exhibition of arts, industries, manufactures, etc., authorized to be exhibited in the City of Chicago, under authority of the original act of April 25, 1890. The National Commission has divided this exhibition into several grand departments, and to provide for the installation of the exhibits and the display of the "arts, industries, manufactures, and products of the soil, mine, and sea" this corporation has constructed buildings for each department. All of the exhibits are installed and exposed to the public view in such buildings under proper rules and regulations. These buildings are located in Jackson Park, which was tendered the Commissioners as the site for the Exposition. Jackson Park and the Midway Plaisance, which this corporation hold under lease, contain about 650 acres of land, while the buildings erected for the several grand departments occupy less than 150 acres. All the grounds unoccupied by the buildings have been beautified and ornamented for the use and enjoyment of the public, but they have no special relation to the exhibits, nor are they a part of the Exhibition or Exposition.

Parks and Grounds May Be Open.

The act of Aug. 5 directs that the Exposition shall not be open to the public on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, but I do not think that Congress thereby intended to prohibit the public from visiting the park or grounds Sunday or any other day of the week. The prohibition extends to the Exposition proper, or rather to the works of art, manufactures, etc., on exhibition. All exhibits are to be concealed from public view Sunday, but the law will not bear a construction, in my opinion, of extending the prohibition to the public park and grounds.

Referring again to the original act of April 25, 1890, it will be observed that the President of the United States was directed, in behalf of the government and people, to invite "foreign nations to take part in the Exposition and appoint representatives thereto." Some fifty foreign nations have accepted this invitation, and their representatives are now present taking active part in the Exposition. Many of them have constructed within Jackson Park beautiful representative buildings, designed for the homes and offices of their representatives during the Exposition.

Most of the States have also constructed State buildings, and in some of these buildings are now residing the Commissioners of the several States. Certainly the most strict constructionist will not claim that it was the intention of Congress to prohibit by legislative law these representatives of foreign nations and the Commissioners of States from visiting their buildings and temporary homes Sunday. This would be altogether too narrow a construction of the act of Aug. 5, 1892, and yet, if the grounds, as well as the buildings for exhibition, are to be closed that day, these representatives and Commissioners must be excluded, as well as the rest of the public.

My opinion therefore is that the act of Congress of Aug. 5, 1892, only requires that all the buildings containing exhibits installed for exhibition shall be closed to the public Sunday, and that the admission of the public to the grounds and the buildings not devoted to exhibition purposes would not be in violation of the letter or spirit of the law.

EDWIN WALKER,
Chairman Committee on Legislation.

COMMISSIONERS SHOW THEIR HORNS.

They Claim That the Directory's Action Is Void Without Their Sanction.

Director-General George R. Davis said:

"I think it is all a mistake on the part of the Board of Directors. They had no right to take the action they did and I don't think it lies within their province to interfere."

"What course will the National Commission take?"

"I don't know. It is not the right time to divulge what we think."

Roswell E. Goodell, Commissioner from Colorado, said: "The directors have no right to open the Fair gates without the consent of the commission. Just wait until the rule comes before us and then the commission will have its say. The directory can originate rules, but we have the deciding. This has

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ACTION IS DEFERRED.

THOMAS RESOLUTION REMAINS IN ABEYANCE UNTIL MAY 31.

In the Meanwhile the Present Leader Will Still Wave the Baton Over the Exposition Orchestra—Commissioner St. Clair Makes a Vigorous Plea for Calm Judgment and Judicious Action—Finally Chairman Lannan Asks That the Vote Be Postponed.

Not until May 31 is it probable that any action will be taken by the National Commission on the report of its investigating committee which recommended Thursday that the resignation of Theodore Thomas be requested by Director-General Davis. Meanwhile Mr. Thomas will continue to exercise the functions of Musical Director of the Exposition. But it is likely that all his programs for musical entertainments will be scrutinized by the Council of Administration. This will be done with a view of correcting what the commission alleges to be abuses, and according to Commissioner J. W. St. Clair, who is a member of the Council of Administration, there will be nothing left for criticism by the time the commission meets May 31.

It was with expectancy that the commission awaited yesterday afternoon the introduction of a motion which should place the committee's report before the body. This was done by Mr. Lannan, the Chairman of the committee. Apparently nearly every member in the chamber was of Mr. Lannan's opinion when he asked for the adoption of the report. President Palmer had just called for a vote when Commissioner St. Clair got the floor and gave from his standpoint the reasons why action should not be taken. Mr. St. Clair is one of the most forcible speakers in the commission and his presence at that moment undoubtedly prevented the practically unanimous adoption of the recommendations of the committee. He surprised the Commissioners by what he had to say and set forth fully his reasons for believing that Mr. Thomas should be retained and that in a measure the charges which had been preferred against him could not be sustained.

Gen. St. Clair's Appeal.

Gen. St. Clair said in part:

I don't believe that this report ought to be adopted by this commission at this time in its present form. To take this action you will do that which may result in the utter destruction of the musical features which have been provided for this Exposition. I know the Commissioners do not understand that in addition to the cost and expense of the construction of Choral Hall and Music Hall the Exposition company has expended up to this time about $300,000 in preparing the orchestra and the choir which have been selected to carry on this musical feature. Prof. Thomas has gone the world over for the purpose of selecting the individual members of his orchestra. They have been employed not only for months but more than a year a very large majority of them. Now what is the effect, Mr. President, what would be the effect if Mr. Thomas were to retire from the orchestra? It would absolutely break down that orchestra. The money that has been expended in its construction would have been burned up.

I don't want to discuss the merits of the musical controversy. I undertake to say that if you were to dismiss Mr. Thomas this morning you cannot supply his place in this country unless you select some man. Mr. President, whose daily avocation is to do that very thing. It is his profession to do that work which gentlemen are here complaining of, and what is it?

All Receive Compensation.

Expert musicians, not only in this country, but the world over, not only receive salaries from the particular concern that may employ them, but every man of them, as a rule at least, [illegible] musical manufacturing concern or some corporation or company that manufactures musical instruments in consideration that he will perform on their particular instruments and on no others. The only way to reach the situation in my judgment—and I don't want to make any cavil about this matter at all, for I have the highest regard and respect for every man who composes this special committee—the only way to regulate it is to take hold of the administration of that bureau and prevent at their hands the abuses of which you complain.

Don't tear down the organization; don't destroy this orchestra by a single stroke of the pen. If you do you will make a most serious mistake in my judgment.

If that report contains any statement which on the face of it justifies the impeachment of any man in the employment of the Exposition or the commission, I do not understand what it means. If Mr. Tomlins had lost his usefulness in the Exposition, if you can show me that by virtue of something that Prof. Thomas has done, that puts him in an attitude of having so degraded himself in the moral estimate of the public mind that he ought to be kicked out, I should vote for it unhesitatingly; but you have not got it, gentlemen, in your report.

Now, let us look at this situation fairly; let us deal with it fairly. Don't do that, I appeal to you, don't do that which will amount to disgracing a man without a trial he is entitled to have. I don't care what some former committee may have done—don't undertake to convict him on charges you have not preferred against him, scandalizing him and breaking up this feature of the Exposition.

This report states another thing that is not a fact to my certain knowledge, and I am not impugning the committee in any sense. It has been industriously circulated that the Director-General made a contract that he would prevent and forbid the use of any instruments in this building other than those of exhibitors. The Director-General has never made that statement in his life, unless he is himself a falsifier. I heard him say to this committee—I heard him say in the presence of some of these piano people—and I heard all of these piano men who are exhibiting in this park admit that the Director-General had committed himself only to this extent—that he would forbid it and prohibit it if he could. I heard the Director-General state, and to this committee, that the promise he did make to these gentlemen was not a part of the consideration that induced them to exhibit in this Exposition.

Mr. Lannan of Utah—I was not present when that was said.

Mr. St. Clair of West Virginia—You were present, my dear sir, and your committee was present, and that statement was made in your hearing. Perhaps you have forgotten it.

Will Protect Exhibiters.

I say, sir, on the merits of this proposition, I mean on the merits of the main question of keeping these pianos and harps out of Music Hall, I don't care to discuss it, except to say what I have said before, that there is no member of this commission who is more anxious than I to protect the rights of these exhibiters and every exhibiter in this park, and I should go as far as any man, exercising good, common sense, to forbid the use of other instruments, the like of which is not on exhibition in this Exposition. It is right to the exhibiter, whether the exhibiter wants it and contends for it or not, and that has always been my position. But I do submit, Mr. President that it is a most serious thing for this commission at this juncture to undertake to demand of the Director-General the removal of the head of this orchestra for the reasons stated in this report. It is wrong, absolutely wrong, and it ought not to be done.

Take from your Exposition Prof. Thomas, take from it Prof. Tomlins, and what follows that? You kick out the orchestra and you kick out the choir, and what is the effect of that? You deny to the Exposition company the use of one building which cost more than $750,000 and another which is costing about $140,000. You fail to utilize them and absolutely destroy this entire feature of the Fair.

See if you cannot do something else for the sake of the commission. See if you cannot get out of this controversy in some other way. I don't want to withdraw it at all; I want this investigation to go forward, to the end that the most absolute protection may be brought to every exhibiter at this Fair. You are here, gentlemen, having in your charge the name and character of the Government of the United States, and to the extent that this Exposition is a success the government through you will receive its award. To the extent that it is a failure the Government of the United States through you will be injured.

If you can't do better let this matter stand until you ask your commission here. If you are going to take a recess for two weeks or until the 1st of June, leave this report stand until you get at least a quorum of your commission here to pass upon this report, and in the meantime I apprehend, gentlemen, that there is not a grievance you complain of, not a fault in this management about which you make the charge, that will not be removed and you yourselves be satisfied.

It is a serious thing for us to take the responsibility of doing that which will amount to putting in the lake of more than a million dollars of this corporation. Now, sir, we ought to think for a minute of the interests of this corporation; and not only that, but you ought to think for a minute of the expenditures and the resources of this corporation to conduct to a successful termination this Fair. They can't afford this kind of shock, gentlemen; they have not the means to do it. And beyond this, don't put yourselves in an attitude of saying to the world that the sixteen piano people, or whatever the number may be, have spent a million of dollars in making their exhibit in this Fair. It is not true. They have not spent one-quarter of a million of dollars, not one-quarter of it. Now we want to treat them right. I am their friend. I want to do everything that can be done for them, but I don't propose to give my vote, nor to permit, if I can prevent it by the honest exercise of any function that I possess, these gentlemen at their dictum to expel a man from the service of this Exposition when the main thought in their mind was to substitute some man who is doing the very same thing that they claim Mr. Thomas is doing. It is wrong in principle, and it is not right in any view.

It is a serious thing; not so serious for us at first blush. We can kick out Mr. Thomas and we can go home; but it is a serious thing for these people who have spent this large sum of money, who have undertaken this feature of the Exposition and who will be charged with the responsibility primarily of having it fail; but in the end, when the history of the Exposition comes to be written, the record will disclose that this mistake was made by a minority of the National Commission.

Commissioner Lannan Replies.

When Gen. St. Clair concluded Commissioner Lannan stood out boldly and firmly that the subject matter in the report was truthful so far as the committee could determine. He went a little further, and declared if the statements in one of the letters addressed to Lyon & Healy were not considered blackmailing as they stood he would himself personally declare that they were and would be responsible for what he said.

"The piano manufacturers who appeared before the committee have been gentlemanly in every respect and loyal to the Fair," said he. "They were, in my opinion, being boycotted, and I do not hesitate to express this opinion. It is the duty of this commission to protect them. It was Gen. St. Clair who amended a resolution a few days ago so as to instruct the Director-General to remove a piano from Music Hall. That motion had the clear St. Clair ring. His attitude now seems different."

Commissioner St. Clair lost no time in saying "I have the courage and the temerity to say to this commission that I was in part wrong when I offered that amendment. I was not familiar with the situation, but acted upon impulse. Since then I have carefully studied the various points of the controversy and am willing to say to the commission that I was in part wrong, and that I now intend to set myself right."

Gen. St. Clair was then obliged to leave the room to attend to other matters.

Commissioner Clendening, a member of the Investigating committee, made a strong speech in favor of the report. He declared that he had spent many hours in investigating the controversy and thought he knew something about the merits of the question. He took the ground that the honor of the commission and the United States Government should be sustained without regard to any losses, individual or corporate, which might be sustained by the adoption of the report.

"It matters not," said he, "if those concerts do not go on if they cannot be conducted in honor. We were [illegible] in the United States Government, and [illegible] in carrying out the promises, either stated directly or implied, to the effect that if the present piano exhibiters would make displays the pianos of non-exhibiters would not be permitted to be used in Music Hall. We therefore ask you to sustain this committee and the honor of the commission."

Commissioner Ryan of North Dakota wanted Mr. Thomas wiped out instanter and he didn't hesitate to say that fraud had been exercised in the management of the Bureau of Music. Commissioner Burton of Kansas made a dispassionate statement in which he announced that while he regretted exceedingly to be obliged to vote for the adoption of the report the evidence submitted before the committee left open no other course for a conscientious man.

Vote Is Postponed.

After one or two other talks Commissioner Haines asked that the report be laid on the table for the present. This was voted down and it then looked like the measure would carry. But no sooner had Commissioner Haines' motion been defeated than the Chairman of the committee, Mr. Lannan, said: "I do not feel that we should act on so important a matter with such a small attendance and I therefore ask that a vote be postponed until we shall have a quorum." Mr. Lannan's wish carried. The commission will meet again today, but no one expects that a quorum will be present and action on the report will be deferred until May 31, the close of the recess, which will be taken at the adjournment of today's session.

DIRECTOR J. P. REYNOLDS RESIGNS.

Chief of the Illinois State Commission Steps Down and Out.

Director-in-Chief John P. Reynolds of the Illinois Board of World's Fair Commissioners has resigned his position and his resignation has been accepted. Mr. Reynolds severed his connection with the board at a meeting held last Friday.

Mr. Reynolds, who has directed the collection of the Illinois exhibit, will be missed by the commission. In the tender of his resignation he offered no other reasons for his action than that his work had been practically completed and that the duties devolving upon him could be assumed by members of the board. Some of his intimate friends could secure no further explanation, but the real cause is doubtless the disagreement with some of the Commissioners on matters of policy. Mr. Reynolds drew a salary of $7,500 a year and for more than sixteen years has been connected with the State Board of Agriculture, both as a member and as its Secretary. The State Board of Agriculture is also the World's Fair Commission. The act passed by the Legislature providing for a State building and a display at the Fair was drawn by Mr. Reynolds, and through his influence and that of his friends the $800,000 appropriation for the expense of the display was secured.

Since Mr. Reynolds' retirement President Lafayette Funk of the commission has practically assumed the duties of the Director-in-Chief.

WARNINGS IN FIVE LANGUAGES.

Polyglot Instructions That Exhibits Are to Be Inspected, Not Handled.

The fact that exhibits are to be admired and not handled is one that all exhibiters would like to impress on all spectators. But an Italian cannot be expected to heed an admonition to that effect couched in the English language, and vice versa. So to obviate this difficulty the following signs have been prepared and displayed on all exhibits:

PLEASE DO NOT TOUCH.
BITTE NICHT ZU BERUHREN.
PRIERE DE NE PAS TOUCHER.
SI PREGA DI NON TOCCARE.
RUEGO QUE NI LO TOQUEN.

So now neither Englishman, American, German, Frenchman, Spaniard, nor Italian can plead ignorance if called to account for touching things.

TO THE GREAT ROOF.

FIRST ELEVATOR REACHES TOP OF MANUFACTURES BUILDING.

The Ascent Marked by Different Sensations than Those in a Shaft Surrounded by Stone Walls—Magnificent View from the Promenade Around the Crown of the Immense Structure—Placing Search Lights in Position—Their Wonderful Power.

Shooting up in its narrow steel cage like a balloon through mid-air the first elevator ran to the roof of the Manufactures and Liberal Arts Building at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Thousands of workmen scattered about the thirty-six acres of floor space caught sight of the silent car as it ran swiftly up and stopped to look. As it ascended those who were rising with it felt a sense of peculiar buoyancy. The feeling of security and solidity given by stone walls on either hand was entirely absent. Rising swiftly upward, with each foot the scene below grew larger. The thousand pavilions seemed like the houses of a miniature city, while looking upward the vast steel girders and beams of the mighty roof held up, as it were, the sky above them.

One hundred and eighty-five feet above the ground floor is the final station, and here the party who occupied the car got out upon the platform, which is still in process of construction. From it a flight of unfinished stairs led for twenty feet upward to a wooden walk supported by rafters which hang from the roof. At its eastern end this walk opens upon the grand promenade, and such a promenade as this the foot of man never trod before. More than 200 feet above the lake, its grand circle, running about the central roof of the Manufactures Building, measures a full half mile. The promenade itself is eighty feet wide, and is carefully guarded on either side by high and strong wire nettings. From it can be obtained a better view of the glories of the Exposition and of the city to the north than any other point of vantage commands.

Michigan Shores Visible.

To the east the lake lies spread out like a green carpet. Through the gray mist, which hung over the eastern horizon, the black hulls of far distant steamers were visible, and an adventuresome workman who has climbed bare ladders to this great height every day for weeks declared that in clear weather the Michigan shore can be made out. Walking for a quarter of a mile down the grand stretch on the eastern side of the building the Court of Honor lies directly below. From the great height its varied beauties can be taken in at a single sweep of the eye. To the west and north as far as the eye can reach the roofs of the city showed against the background of gray mist.

At each of the four corners of the great promenade little groups of German workmen were putting into place the enormous search lights which, within a week, will be ready to throw their dazzling rays for miles into the night. At the northwest corner is the largest search-light ever built in the world. Its mirror has a diameter of five feet and its light will have a brilliancy, under ordinary pressure, of more than 1,000,000 candle-power. When it is thrown high into the sky its light will be plainly visible as far as Milwaukee, and at a distance of twenty miles a newspaper can be read by it. It is expected that this light and the smaller one at the southwest corner of the building will be ready for operation tonight.

Capacity of the Elevators.

Within the narrow steel cage which leads upward from the great floor four elevators will shortly be running. They will have an estimated capacity of 900 passengers an hour and will be open regularly by the first of next week. It has not yet been definitely decided what fee shall be charged for the round trip. Under the terms of the concession granted to the Hale Elevator company a fee as high as 50 cents is allowable, but George Hale said yesterday that he had not yet finally decided what the figure should be.

The first man not regularly employed as a workman to ascend to the great promenade was Chief of Construction Burnham. Mr. Burnham made the ascension Wednesday morning. He did not ride up in an elevator, neither did he climb the ladders. A long rope running over a pulley on the roof, which has been used for the raising of the lumber required to build the promenade, was first lowered to the floor. There a noose was formed, and seated with the rope about his body, the engine puffed and snorted, and the plucky Master of Construction went dangling up into midair. It took nerve to make the trip, but Mr. Burnham treated it as an everyday matter.

The elevators in the Transportation Building have been running for several days. Here the fare for the round trip has been placed at 10 cents, and yesterday, in spite of the drizzling rain, many visitors went up and walked about the promenade which circles this roof. From it also a good view can be obtained, but compared to the promenade on the roof of the Manufactures Building it is as a molehill to a mountain.

TWO PICTURES OF CHICAGO IN 1829.

They Were Painted by Frederick Harrison, and Are in the Maryland Building.

It is a little strange that Chicago antiquities should come from the direction of Maryland, but any one who visits the Maryland Building may see these two paintings of Chicago in 1829, which, considering their origin, are somewhat startling.

The history of these paintings is given by Executive Commissioner George L. McGahan, who is in charge of the building. They are the work of Frederick Harrison, who was born in 1804, appointed a cadet at West Point in 1823 and appointed Assistant Civil Engineer in the United States Army in 1826. In 1828 he was on duty at Charlestown, S. C., and in 1829 was sent to Fort Dearborn to survey the canal from that point to Peoria. It was during his stay at Fort Dearborn in 1829 that he painted these pictures. He kept them for many years in an album which, at his death, became the property of his son-in-law, Lennox Birckhead, now a prominent real estate dealer in Baltimore, who has loaned them for exhibition here during the summer, and who vouches for their genuineness.

These paintings are about six inches square. One, in water colors, represents the Fort Dearborn Building, looking towards the lake. The other, an exquisite piece of oil painting, on canvas, represents the other buildings of the settlement, looking towards the prairie. Around them, on the leaf of the scrapbook, the artist wrote the following explanatory notes, the spelling, punctuation, and other peculiarities being entirely his own:

No. 1. Fort Dearborn. [illegible] Lake—Buildings on the [illegible]—Looking toward the [illegible] houses of Monr. Boubeau [illegible]—Residence & store-[illegible] He had an Indian wife & [illegible] Indian Fur trader—[illegible] complished daughters—Edu[illegible] beautiful and ac-[illegible]ed in Detroit—and both married Officers of the U. S. A.

No. 2. No. 1 & 2 are taken from nearly the same point of view. No. 2 [illegible]ing out on the prairie directly opposite to No. 1. The large tree in No. 1, is the same overshadowing the bake-house in the left corner of No. 2—Indian looking in at the window.

Under the second picture is written, in the proper places:

Bake-house, Potowatamie encampment, [illegible] house, Indn. Agency, Dr. Wolcott, Indn. Agent. There is a value and interest attached to these pictures as sketches as perhaps being the only pri[illegible] view of the scite of the great city of Chicago, [illegible].

These paintings are, in any view of the case, of the greatest interest to the people of Chicago. They much resemble the current pictures of these scenes, but are different in minor points. They must therefore either confirm the previous representations or form them. In fact, it is possible that these pictures by Mr. Harrison have been the source of all the other pictures of these localities and buildings that have been printed. The matter, at least, seems to be worthy of the investigation of the Chicago Historical Society.

DORE'S LAST PIECE OF SCULPTURE.

In Bronze It Is Exhibited in the French Section in Manufactures.

Bacchus, cupids, and all the hosts of Pan play at hide-and-seek in the shadows of leafy vines on the last bronze masterpiece unpacked in the French section of the Manufactures Building. It bears the name of Gustave Doré and the date 1877-'78. It is said to be that artist's last work as a sculptor and the people who have it in charge speak of it respectfully.

The design is classic and is carried out with as much fidelity to the classic spirit as Doré's whimsical imagination would permit. The outline of the great bronze is that of an antique Etruscan vase. Chubby cupids frolic about the base, tossing long-tailed rats and charming snakes. One closes with a big bumble-bee hugged tightly in his arms; another makes love to a butterfly. Two torture a giant soldier who seems an undesirable acquaintance. On the bulb of the vase Bacchus indulges in forty winks, having turned over his task of pressing grapes to a baby satyr, who fills high the upstretched glass of a nymph. Fauns and little loves tumble over each other amid grape clusters and Venus gives Cupid a lesson in aiming his arrow. Crowning the long neck are more cupids and wreathing lengths of vine. The vase itself is about twelve feet high and it stands on a five-foot pedestal. Thiebaut Frères are the founders and the bronze is valued at $30,000.

They who have charge of public art collections may like to know that it is exhibited for sale.

DEVOTED TO BEETHOVEN'S WORKS.

The Great Master Fills the Program of the Symphony Concert.

The Symphony concert in Music Hall yesterday afternoon was devoted to Beethoven, the "Egmont" music, the Septet, and the Fifth Symphony being the works selected by Mr. Thomas to represent the master. The orchestra played with the conscientious, painstaking care that has characterized all its work thus far in the series. The "Egmont" music consisted of the Overture, two entr'actes, the two songs, "Die Trommelgerthret" and "Freudvoll und Leidvoll;" and the Triumphal Symphony. The symphony and the overture containing many fortissimo effects suffered more from the echo in the hall than did the gentler numbers. The second entr'acte was made especially enjoyable by the exceptionally fine playing of the oboe obligato by Mr. Bours. Mrs. Minnie Fish-Griffin was the vocalist, and confirmed the excellent impression made by her when heard in the same selections last winter in the Auditorium. The Theme and Variations, Scherzo and Finale from the Septet were played with admirable skill.

The regular free popular concert will be given this morning at 11 o'clock in Music Hall, and at 2 o'clock a special program will be played in the Woman's Building.

The popular Orchestral Concerts for next week will be held in the new Festival Hall (between the Transportation and Horticulture Buildings), and at noon instead of 11 o'clock.

WHY DOULTON WARE WAS INVISIBLE.

Britons Look Across "the Straits of Dover" and Write a Sign.

Visitors to the ceramic department of the British exhibit yesterday found empty shelves where only the day before beautiful specimens of Doulton ware were found. The explanation of this change was found in a little placard attached to the cases. This stated concisely and with some touch of the spirit Great Britain always evinces when it looks across the Straits of Dover to its French neighbors, that on account of the damage wrought by dust made by the opposite section the Doulton ware had to be packed away. Polite regret for the necessity was expressed by the directors of the exhibit.

Will Exhibit a Good Road.

Arrangements have been completed by the National League for Good Roads to make an exhibit of a roadway fifty feet wide and 1,000 feet in length at the Fair. The sum of $1,000 was appropriated for this purpose. The road will extend from the French colonies' exhibit to the Live Stock Pavilion, and will show the various processes of road construction in France, Italy, Germany, and England. An illustration of the condition of the roads in this country after bad weather will be given by a wagon stuck in a rough country road.

Mayor Harrison Now a Director.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Exposition yesterday afternoon B. B. Lamb tendered his resignation. It was accepted and Mayor Carter H. Harrison was elected to fill the vacancy.

Coming from Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Mass., May 12.—The Governor's council have considered the trip to the World's Fair, and it has been decided to leave for Chicago June 12 and to start on the return trip June 19.

BULLETIN OF The Daily Tribune.

CHICAGO, SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1893.

Weather for this vicinity:
Fair, slightly warmer.

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WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION NEWS.

Yesterday—Local Directory Adopts the Walker Resolution to Open Everything at the Fair Sundays Except the Exhibit Buildings—Guards Have to Pay to Get in the Grounds—First Elevator Runs to Manufactures' Roof—Belgians Visit Pullman—Symphony Concert in Music Hall—National Commission Postpones Action on the Thomas Resolution—Successful Test of the Electrical Apparatus.

Today—Grand Illumination of the Buildings and Grounds at Night—Insurance Men Will Inspect the Fire Department—Special Concert in Woman's Building at 2 p. m.

LAST EDITION.

IN DRESS REHEARSAL

Test of the Electrical Glories of the White City.

FORETASTE OF TONIGHT.

MacMonnies Fountain Bathed in Rainbow Tints.

RARE BLENDING OF LIGHTS.

Beauties of Administration Dome Strongly Accentuated.

RED, WHITE, AND BLUE LIGHTNING

The few people who were fortunate enough to be in Jackson Park and near the Administration Building at 9:30 o'clock last night enjoyed a foretaste of the grand electrical display of tonight and the electrical glories of the coming summer. This was due to a partial test of the electric arrangements.

There was nothing like a general display. The buildings and grounds east of the lagoon and the walks around the basin were lit up as usual, and the incandescents that outline the dome-panels and pavilion-cornices of the Administration Building were burning as they have been every night for a week. But, in addition to this, the north electric fountain and the MacMonnies fountain were playing for a short time with colored electric lights. The system of electric lighting underneath the electric fountain was not used, as the mechanism could not be completed until today. But their place was taken by three search lights, located on the front of Music Hall, the southwest corner of the Manufactures Building, and the northwest corner of the Agricultural Building. The color of these lights, of course, were varied at will.

Artistic Effect of Colors.

The object of the experiments last night was simply to test the artistic effect of colored lights on the buildings and on the waters of the fountains, and lasted for only half an hour. They were viewed not only by Mr. Spencer but by Mr. Sterringer and Mr. Burnham, all of whom were more than pleased with the result. Every one else that saw the display was equally well pleased, and well they might be, for it

TO DOUBLE THE FORCE

CONTROLLER ECKELS WILL NAME MORE BANK EXAMINERS SOON.

An Assistant for Mr. Sturges Slated for This City Within Ten Days—This Action Due Wholly to the Growth of Business—No Relation to Present Troubles—Yesterday's Events Fully Restore Public Confidence in Chicago—The Department at Washington Greatly Relieved.

Controller Eckels will appoint a second Bank Examiner for Chicago within the next ten days. This is due to the growth of business here. The appointment of a second examiner has no relation to the present troubles and was determined on before the Chemical and Columbia failures could have been anticipated. It was rumored yesterday in banking circles that the Controller had about decided on an increase of National Bank Examiners throughout the country. This decision was not considered as having any particular significance, nor was it caused by the recent flurry. Is is said to have been in contemplation for some time owing to the fact that the number of national banks has been constantly increasing while the number of examiners has remained the same. It was thought that the force of examiners would be doubled in each district and that in some few, where the business was especially heavy, three or more competent men would be commissioned as examiners. With the increased force every bank would be examined as often as once in three months instead of semi-annually, as is now the usual custom. It is also intimated that the increase in the force will carry with it a shifting of examiners from one district to another so that one examiner would not continually look after the same institutions.

Concerning the appointment of a second examiner by Controller Eckels to assist him, Mr. Sturges last night knew nothing. He said that Controller Eckels had long known how pressed and delayed he was with his work, but he did not know that any new appointment was contemplated. He said he had not been consulted about it and he thought that if another examiner was to be named he would have been notified. Regarding the situation generally Mr. Sturges thought there was no room for alarm and that if anything there had been an improvement since Tuesday.

At the Columbia National Bank's office Mr. Cook was still at work at a late hour last night. He said that he had been working on accounts all day, but had made little headway because of the frequent interruptions by people wanting information about deposits. As to the effect on the country banks of the Columbia's failure Mr. Cook stated that it would not affect the Illinois banks, but would possibly trouble some of the smaller National banks of Indiana in which President Dwiggins was interested.

CONFIDENCE FULLY RESTORED.

Banking Circles Recover from the Effect of the Recent Failures.

There was a marked recovery of confidence in business circles yesterday. Everyone connected with the Chicago banks agreed that there is no probability of any further trouble in the way of important bank failures. There was no evidence of shaking confidence on the part of bank depositors and the general tone of business showed improvement. A force of accountants was at work all day on the accounts of the Columbian National, but did not get far enough to make any complete statement of the situation. The impression prevails that the failure will prove a pretty bad one. There was some talk of a resumption yesterday, but in banking circles this is generally regarded as wholly impossible. It transpires that the bonds issued by the United States Loan and Trust company, based on stock of country banks as collateral security, amount to something like $250,000. As several of the Dwiggins-Starbuck chain of banks have already suspended the security behind this large issue of bonds is more or less impaired.

Masters at the Chemical National look much brighter than at the Columbia. The examiners' assets went on steadily yesterday and there was no development in that examination calculated to change the intention of the stockholders regarding resumption. The examination of the bank's affairs will extend into next week, but there seems every reason to look for its early resumption.

E. S. Conway, whose name has been connected with the Columbia National as a director, had resigned from that position some time before the failure. At the time of the suspension he was neither officer nor stockholder in the institution. The name of N. T. Rulison of Seneca has been given among the country correspondents of the Columbia. His correspondent was the Commercial National, not the Columbia National.

CHICAGO ADVICES REASSURING.

Controller Eckels Greatly Relieved—No Trouble from Any Section.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—Controller Eckels had his finger on the bank pulse today pretty constantly. It was feared that the failure of the Columbia might carry down some national banks in Illinois and Indiana towns, as well as some of the private ones. However, up to nighttime no report of any failure was received, and the Controller was a good deal relieved. His advices from Chicago were on the whole reassuring. As to the Columbia the reports received here seem to show a pretty bad mess of its affairs. Bank Examiner Cooke telegraphed for authority to employ an expert to help him unravel the books and the authority was at once granted. Nothing further was heard during the day about the proposed reorganization of the Chemical. Word from Indianapolis was that the Capital National Bank might not prove to be so heavy a holder of the Chemical National's paper as has been supposed. Beyond this there was little additional information. The Controller received a dispatch from Examiner Packard this afternoon saying he had taken charge of the Capital Bank as directed. New York bankers have been a good deal disturbed over a report that the Controller, by direction of the President, had ordered a special examination to be made of all of them. Controller Eckels said the report was misleading. When the flurry occurred a week or more ago, as a matter of precaution he had telegraphed the examiners in New York to be especially watchful and to report to the office daily. Special instructions have been given about the banks which were known to be tied up with national cordage paper. The examiners in all the large cities have been instructed to be prompt in making examinations and notifying the Controller. This is simply a step to enable the Controller's office to be promptly posted regarding the conditions of the banks everywhere and does not indicate any fear of unsoundness.

UNEASY DAY AT INDIANAPOLIS.

Bankers and the Public Entertained Fears of Grave Financial Troubles.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—Decided unrest among Indianapolis banks existed today. When the reports of bank suspensions on account of the Columbia National Bank at Chicago, began to pour in there were grave doubts as to what the day might bring forth. Small depositors, a great per cent being women, gathered at the different banks and began calling for their money; but it was found that the heavy depositors were not alarmed, and that anything like an extended run was not probable. Nearly all the banks had been keeping close to shore for several weeks, and at the meeting of the clearing house at noon it was learned that $50,000 help would perhaps tide over any institution in the city. Tonight bankers are feeling easier, having had forty-eight hours in which to prepare for any emergency.

The affairs of the suspended Capital National Bank were today turned over to State Examiner O. M. Packard, who said he should act simply as custodian until Examiner Young of Washington should arrive. It was learned that several Chicago banks have heavy balances locked up in the Capital National, but Cashier Doherty refuses to make public the list at present. He said there were only a few individual Illinois depositors and they were for small amounts. The blow is expected to fall heaviest on the correspondents of the Capital National in this State, of which there are 130. This list is also withheld. It was given out that unless a panic should sweep over the State no bank of any importance connected with the Capital would go to the wall. The immediate cause of the suspension is traceable to the fact that the Capital owed to other banks $625,000. The officials of the Capital National held a meeting tonight with State Bank Examiner Packard. After the meeting adjourned it was given out that they felt able to resume business and pay off deposits without waiting for the $79,000 tied up in the Chemical at Chicago.

Another branch business allied to the Columbia National was found today to exist here in the banking firm of Paris & Nave, who were engaged in the organization of petty banks in this and adjoining States. The principals are John W. Paris and J. Shannon Nave. They organized in January, 1892, and began to establish a string of banks on the Dwiggins system. Today the firm announced that because of the Columbia failure at Chicago their business was much embarrassed and that all of their banks had been ordered to close their doors. The list includes the Bank of Orleans and Bank of Rossville in Indiana; the Bank of Freeport, Freeport, O.; and the Bank of Rockford, Rockford, Mich. Paris and Dwiggins were operating together in the Commercial Bank at Russiaville and the Farmers' Bank at Greentown, both in Howard County, both of which suspended today.

FINANCIAL DISASTERS IN INDIANA.

Several Banks Pulled Down by the Collapse of the Columbia National.

KOKOMO, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The doors of the Commercial State Bank of Russiaville and the Farmers' Bank of Greentown, both in this county, were closed today, the suspension in each case being the result of the failure of the Columbia National Bank of Chicago, Zimri Dwiggins being President of each institution. Deposits aggregating $54,000 are tied up in the two institutions, but the officers claim to be able to pay dollar for dollar. Ex-Gov. Chase was a stockholder in the Greentown bank, which seems to be in the better condition, its assets being slightly in excess of the deposits—$20,000. State Examiner Teeter will go to Russiaville at once. The last report made by that bank showed resources and liabilities of $73,628.

The Commercial is one of about twenty banks in Indiana that are thought to be connected with the Columbia National. Perhaps as many private banks are also related to the Chicago concern to some extent. The Portland bank that suspended yesterday was the largest of the group. This was the first State bank to close in Indiana in twenty years, and the records at the Auditor's office show that none of them ever failed. The State banks were recently examined and their reports indicated that they were in a substantial condition.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The Morristown Bank of Morristown, this county, a branch of the Columbia Bank of Chicago, closed its doors this morning. The bank will lose something over $8,000, which will be borne by farmers who were induced to take stock in the concern. The plan of the Columbia, as stated by the backers, was to get the cooperation of local business men and have them take a certain amount of paid-up stock, the Chicago concern taking an equal amount. Instead of depositing its money it merely gave the auxiliary bank credit for the amount of stock subscribed by the Columbia Bank. The officers of the Morristown Bank were here today and by giving individual and other securities obtained a loan of $16,000. It will probably reorganize.

NEWCASTLE, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—As a result of the failure of the Columbia National and the Capital National the Bank of Spiceland at Spiceland, this county, suspended today. It was a State bank, with $30,000 capital, $19,000 of which had been subscribed by Dwiggins, Starbuck & Co. and paid for in wind, according to their exclusive methods. The deposits amount to $30,000.

MITCHELL, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The Bank of Orleans, a town five miles south of here, was closed yesterday evening for the benefit of creditors. The loss to creditors will reach several thousand dollars.

VALPARAISO, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The failure of the Columbia National Bank caused the Citizens' Bank of Hebron, this county, to close its doors this afternoon. Zimri Dwiggins, President of the Columbia Bank, was the principal stockholder. The officials claim they will be able to pay all depositors in full.

DELPHI, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The Commercial Bank of Brookston, White County, one of the Dwiggins banks, closed its doors this morning. The depositors were mostly farmers and it was not long before the little town was filled with anxious depositors. Cashier Barnes stated that there was enough money and securities in the safe to pay every depositor in full.

PORTLAND, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The Dunkirk Bank of Dunkirk, which failed yesterday evening, was levied upon today by a Deputy Sheriff, who is now in full possession. He found as the assets of the concern about $2,000 in money and a few notes, while it will take at least $75,000 to pay the indebtedness. The Treasurer of Jay County lost $1,600 in the crash.

ROCHESTER, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The failure of the Columbia National does not affect the Citizens' State Bank of this place nor the bank of the same name at Kewanna. The Akron Exchange Bank has had no deposits with the Columbia for several months.

BRAZIL, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The suspension of the Columbia Bank of Chicago and the Capital Bank at Indianapolis has spread an uneasiness all over the entire county. The Brazil bankers, however, are not injured a particle, and the Clay County Bank, at Clay City, is also solvent.

COLUMBIA CITY, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The Citizens' Bank at Churubusco is a branch of the Columbia National Bank, but it is believed that it will tide over the trouble.

GENEVA, Ind., May 12.—The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, the oldest in town, suspended today. It is connected with the Columbia National of Chicago.

FOWLER, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The failure of the Columbia National Bank of Chicago has created much excitement in this county. The banks at Oxford, Boswell, Ambra, and Otterbein are connected with the Chicago concern. It is reported that the bank at Boswell has closed its doors, but the cashier says they will be ready for business again in three or four days. The Commercial Bank of Oxford up to this time is doing business as usual.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 12.—The Bank of Greenwood, Ind., has closed its doors on account of the failure of the Columbia Bank of Chicago. No statement is as yet obtainable.

BANKS IN ILLINOIS AFFECTED.

Farmers' and Merchants' at Casey Compelled to Close Its Doors.

MARTINSVILLE, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank at Casey, six miles west of here, is a heavy loser by the Columbia failure, as it had a very large deposit, and assigned to H. B. Lee today. The assets are probably $16,000. Liabilities, it is thought, will reach $25,000 or over.

KEITHSBURG, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The failure of the Columbia National Bank will not affect seriously Ives & Son of New Boston, as their business is not large. It will probably catch them for $1,500 at the outside.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The banking firm of Gooch Bros. of Bell Flower, successors to Jones Bros., corresponded with the Columbia National Bank of Chicago and had from $800 to $1,000 to their credit on the Columbia's books. They also remitted to the Columbia $935 the 11th inst., which, however, Gooch Bros. think did not reach Chicago in time to be included in the bank's liabilities. P. H. Vance & Son, bankers of Danvers, state that they are in no way involved in the closing of the Columbia.

CHRISMAN, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—Mr. Starbuck was President of the Ridge Farm Bank, but the same was changed recently to a State bank. Considerable stock is owned by residents. The bank changed its correspondence from the Columbia to the Metropolitan a few days ago, and will not be affected to any great extent.

HOOPESTON, Ill., May 12.—The First National Bank of Hoopeston has no connection whatever with the burst Columbia. It is not affected in the least. *Bradstreet's* reported the wrong correspondent.

MARTINSVILLE, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The failure of the Columbia National Bank of Chicago did not affect the People's Bank of this city, because Dwiggins, Starbuck & Co. had decided some time ago to close their business here, and a month ago notified their depositors to withdraw their accounts and depositors were promptly paid. The only loss the People's Bank will sustain will be for a few small drafts not amounting to more than $300.

MOUNT CARMEL, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The failure of the Columbia National Bank of Chicago will not affect Mount Carmel interests. The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of this city, which was a branch of the defunct concern, closed up its affairs and went out of business Jan. 1.

OTTAWA, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The assignment of R. J. Hornick & Co., private bankers and dealers in general merchandise, at Grand Ridge today was one of the most extensive failures that have occurred in La Salle County. The liabilities and assets are unknown, but it is thought that the former will reach $100,000. The firm consisted of R. J. Hornick, who resided at Grand Ridge, and John Hornick of Sioux City, Ia. The latter was a speculator on the boom industry of that city, and lost several hundred thousand dollars by the failures there. It was a well-known fact in Grand Ridge that R. J. Hornick was interested financially in his brother's investments and after the failure a number of depositors of the Grand Ridge bank withdrew their money and Mr. Hornick was forced to assign. The firm of Hornick & Co. was rated by R. G. Dun & Co. at $400,000, with credit first-class.

INSOLVENT CONCERNS IN MICHIGAN.

Disastrous Results of the Financial Gale Raised by the Columbia.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—The banks at Richland and Edwardsburg, controlled by Dwiggins, Starbuck & Co., closed their doors today. The notice on the doors of the Citizens' Bank at Edwardsburg, reads: "Out of town on business; back at noon." Dwiggins, Starbuck & Co. of the Columbia National Bank of Chicago held a large share of the stock in the bank. Citizens of Edwardsburg are interested to the extent of $25,000, and township and school funds are also tied up. It is impossible to say how matters will turn out until Banker Kleckoner returns, but it is believed that depositors will be paid in full.

PAW PAW, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—The Lawton American Bank closed its doors this morning and its effects are in the custody of Under-Sheriff Sirrine, seized on attachment by various depositors. The deposits are estimated at $30,000 to $35,000. Cashier Brown made the statement that the depositors would be paid in full if let alone by the Chicago end of the concern. He has now left Lawton and his whereabouts are unknown, but he is supposed to be at Marcellus, a town fifteen miles south of there, in consultation with the officers of the branch of the Columbia National.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—The Bank of Rockford, this county, closed its doors today. The institution is a private bank owned by Paris & Nave of Indianapolis, who purchased it of its former owners a year ago. These gentlemen telegraphed the cashier today to close the doors, and it is stated that they are involved by the failure of the Capital National Bank of Indianapolis. Nothing definite can be learned regarding assets or liabilities.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—Brown & Co.'s bank at Charlevoix failed today, carrying with it the Northern Michigan Seed company. The deposits there will not exceed $10,000.

HILLSDALE, Mich., May 12.—The First State Bank of this city went into liquidation and quit business today. The business has been transferred to the Hillsdale Savings Bank, which will assume all the liabilities and pay depositors in full.

OHIO PEOPLE MAY LOSE CASH.

Bank at Williamsburg Closed and Embezzlement Is Charged.

CINCINNATI, O., May 12.—[Special.]—The private bank at Williamsburg, Clearmont County, controlled by Dwiggins, Starbuck & Co. of Chicago, made an assignment Thursday at midnight. Yesterday afternoon Lawrence P. Good, expert accountant from Indianapolis and confidential representative of Dwiggins, arrived in Williamsburg and secured access to the bank. Eight thousand dollars is due the Williamsburg Bank from the Columbia. Early this morning a dispatch from Postmaster Van Ausdil of Williamsburg was received at Cincinnati police headquarters asking for the arrest of Lawrence P. Good. When the train arrived Good was placed under arrest for embezzlement and Williamsburg notified. A reply asked that his valise be searched. This was done, and only $17 found. Good took the arrest good-naturedly. He said he was in the bank all night, going through the books and counting the money. He locked up at 5 o'clock and took the train. Dwiggins had ordered the assignment in order to head off Chicago creditors. Good was about to be released when another telegram from Williamsburg stated an officer was on the way with a warrant. Tonight Marshal Calvin of Williamsburg arrived with a warrant for Good's arrest. It charged that he had embezzled and absconded with $10,000 of the bank's funds. Good expressed entire willingness to return. He declined several offers of bail and he will go back in the morning. The officers said the excitement at Williamsburg was intense. The warrant against Good had been sworn to by four prominent citizens.

DISTURBING RUMORS CIRCULATED.

Instructions Issued by Controller Eckels Not Properly Construed.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—A report was current in Wall street today that the Controller of the Currency had ordered an immediate examination into the affairs of four city banks. Mr. Hepburn, the former Controller of the Currency, was asked if such a thing had been contemplated while he was in office, and he said that as far as he knew nothing of the kind had been thought of. A prominent bank president said that in his opinion there was no truth in the report. He had seen the bank examiner today and he had not ordered any such examination.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—Telegrams have been received at the Treasury Department from New York and other cities inquiring as to the truth of reports that special examinations have been ordered of particular national banks. The foundation for the reports seems to be simply that the Controller has issued circulars of instruction to bank directors generally enjoining special diligence, but his instructions have no specific reference to any particular bank or banks in any one city. They are general in scope, and are intended as a precautionary measure only.

OREGON (WIS.) BANK SUSPENDS.

Another of the Dwiggins Concerns Comes to Financial Grief.

MADISON, Wis., May 12.—[Special.]—The Bank of Oregon, established about a year ago by Dwiggins, Starbuck & Co. of Chicago, made an assignment today, and its affairs were placed in the hands of J. J. Lindsay and M. W. Terwilliger for settlement. The assets are figured at $35,000, and the liabilities $30,000, of which $25,000 is due depositors, who include nearly all the business men of the Village of Oregon.

Failure of A. Kline.

A. Kline, a small operator on the Board of Trade, failed yesterday. The amount involved could not be learned, but it was unimportant and the failure exerted no appreciable influence on the market. Kline has an office in the Rialto Building and could not be found at his place of business, having gone to Oil City, Pa., to raise funds with which to make a settlement.

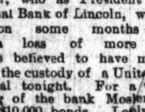
MOSHER SAID TO HAVE ESCAPED.

Ex-President of the Capital National Bank Eludes His Guard at Omaha.

OMAHA, Neb., May 12.—[Special.]—C. W. Mosher, who as President of the Capital National Bank of Lincoln, wrecked that institution some months ago, causing a loss of more than $1,000,000, is believed to have made his escape from the custody of a United States Deputy Marshal tonight. For a while after the closing of the bank Mosher was at liberty under $10,000 bonds. Later he surrendered to the authorities and has been boarding at a local hotel with a guard. Early tonight he is said to have left his room and, eluding his guard, escaped.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

World's Fair Open Day and Evening—Suburban Trains.



For the accommodation of suburban residents trains will run to and from the Fair grounds this evening as follows: Leaving Randolph street 7 p. m., 7:35 p. m., 7:40 p. m., 7:50 p. m., 8:05 p. m., 8:25 p. m. Leaving Sixtieth street 7:20 p. m., 9:05 p. m., 10 p. m., 10:15 p. m., 10:20 p. m., 10:45 p. m., 11 p. m., 11:20 p. m.

Indictment Against Gill Quashed.

PECK, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—Judge JACKSON today handed down his decision on the Peck to quash the information in the case of Neothil, late of the prison, charged with criminal carelessness in allowing Latimer to escape. Injunction of defendant's attorney is sustained. The information quashed on the ground that crime is charged in the original information.

FIRMS LACK FUNDS.

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE FAILURE AT MILWAUKEE.

Frank A. Lappen & Co., Who Owe $500,000, Are Pressed by Creditors—Fears Expressed That a Bank Will Be Affected—Belleville (Ill.) Steel Company Insolvent—W. H. Thomas & Sons, Whisky Men, Fail for Half a Million—Milling Firm in Trouble.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 12.—[Special.]—The big department store of Frank A. Lappen & Co. and the furniture store of the Lappen Furniture company are in the possession of the Sheriff on claims aggregating nearly $400,000. The total liabilities are estimated at half a million dollars. Mr. Lappen places the assets at $586,000. Under a temporary agreement of the creditors made at a meeting this evening the business of both houses will be resumed tomorrow under the direction of Mr. Lappen, the Sheriff retaining possession until some permanent arrangement may be made. In this way the creditors hope to realize much more than if the entire business was wiped out at a Sheriff's sale. It is the biggest business crash that has occurred in Milwaukee for many years, and it has created considerable uneasiness, particularly among the depositors of the Plankinton Bank, which filed an execution this afternoon against the Lappens for $219,207. In anticipation of a run on the bank in the morning in consequence of this feeling among its depositors the directors of the bank after a meeting tonight announced that there would be $500,000 in the bank vaults tomorrow to meet all claims.

Next to the Plankinton Bank the largest claim is made by John Black and half a dozen others, who filed attachments amounting to $95,082.20. Robert Hill, cashier of the Wisconsin National Bank, filed two claims amounting to $44,517.

The firm of F. A. Lappen & Co. consists of Frank A. Lappen and his brother, Owen Lappen, who came to Milwaukee from Boston in 1888. Mr. Lappen is also at the head of an extensive house-furnishing establishment at West Superior. Trying to run too big a business with too little capital is the cause of the downfall. Up to 10 o'clock tonight the following executions and attachments were filed:

Robert Hill	$20,056.54
Robert Hill	24,301.19
A. Landauer & Co.	10,312.75
Plankinton Bank	219,207.60
News Publishing company	1,382.50
Wirth, Hammel & Co.	350.00
Lane Manufacturing company	244.90
Philip P. Murphy	539.00
H. B. Benjamin	579.06
H. H. Rockwell	1,356.13
Bissell Carpet Sweeper company	213.00
John C. Peterman	90.71
Oscar Karpen	3,013.90
John Black et al	95,032.20
Schmitz Bros.	100.00

Among the creditors present at a meeting tonight were some of the representatives of the Plankinton Bank. After the meeting the bank officials met to talk over the uneasiness which they realized the large amount of their execution had attracted. While the meeting was being held the bank force was in the bank handling big bundles of money. At the conclusion of the meeting it was announced that there would be $500,000 in the bank vaults tomorrow for to pay every depositor who wished his money.

It was rumored tonight that the action of Mr. Hill, cashier of the Wisconsin National Bank, in obtaining executions against Mr. Lappen has created a big rumpus among the officials of the bank, as a result of which Mr. Hill was reported to have tendered his resignation to Capt. Pabst, President of the bank. Capt. Pabst, President, and Mr. Karten, another official of the bank, called at the newspaper offices tonight to say that they did not sanction the methods of Mr. Hill in closing up Mr. Lappen's business. They wanted it distinctly understood, they said, that Mr. Hill's action was entirely independent of his official position, confirming Mr. Hill's statement that the notes on which the executions were obtained were held by Mr. Hill and not by the bank.

BELLEVILLE STEEL COMPANY FAILS.

Bill of Sale for $250,000 Given by Kendall & Smith.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 12.—[Special.]—Kendall & Smith, the largest milling firm in the State, tonight gave a bill of sale on their property for $250,000. Wheat speculation is said to have embarrassed them.

TWO MORE CORDAGE RECEIVERS.

Four Concerns in Massachusetts Come Under Control of the Court.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—Judge Lacombe in the United States Circuit Court today signed an order appointing Charles H. Pearson of this city and James F. Stearns of Brookline, Mass., receivers for the Standard Cordage company of Massachusetts, the Boston Cordage company, the Sewall and Day Cordage company of Massachusetts, and the Chelsea Cordage company of Massachusetts. The application was made by creditors of the four companies. The two men qualified in $40,000 each. The liabilities of each company are estimated at $500,000.

Judge Wallace, in another part of the same court, granted to William Deering, President of the William Deering company of Chicago, an order to begin proceedings against Edward F. C. Young and George W. Loper, receivers of the National Cordage company, to recover a large amount of property belonging to the Deering company, now in possession of the receivers. In his application for the order Mr. Deering says that Feb. 1 and April 8 his company purchased of the National Cordage company 3,500 tons of sisal hemp, valued at $364,450, and 300 tons Manilla hemp, valued at $38,415, which they left with the cordage company to be manufactured into twine at 11½ cents a pound; and that they subsequently purchased from other companies 451,942 pounds of New Zealand hemp, valued at $32,000, and 541 bales of Manilla hemp valued at $9,000, which they gave to the cordage company, also to be made into twine. The company made the twine and it is in the custody of the receivers, although the Deering company are willing to pay their bill the receivers refuse to allow them to take their property.

FARGO, N. D., May 12.—There has been some lively legal skirmishing for a day or two over an attachment which was attempted to be placed on the National Cordage company's stock of $75,000 worth of twine here by Deering & Co. The case has been remanded from the State courts to the United States courts and the attachment has not yet been made. United States Judge Thomas is in Denver and immediate action is improbable.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 12.—[Special.]—Developments here tonight show that the vast stock of the cordage trust held here was hypothecated before receivers were appointed, and that attachments previously run by Deering & Co. are null. Agents today demanded on the presentation of negotiable certificates 5,000 bales, on which money has been lent by Brown Bros. of New York. Tomorrow a similar claim will be entered by Drexel, Morgan & Co. It is reported that the stock was hypothecated in this way in every city in the country where the cordage was stored.

FIRST NATIONAL OF LITTLE ROCK.

Indictments Against Some of Its Officers Are Expected Today.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 12.—[Special.]—The Federal grand jury, which for the last two weeks has been investigating the wrecking of the First National Bank of this city, will submit its report to Judge Williams tomorrow. The report would have been filed today, but was delayed on account of the arrival of Special Bank Examiner Lynch, who was sent here by Controller Eckels. The city is full of rumors as to the probable action of the grand jury, and the greatest interest is manifested. There is no doubt but that two indictments will be returned against officers of the defunct bank. It is reported in official circles tonight that at least five well-known citizens of Little Rock will be indicted.

SECRETARY CARLISLE IS PLEASED.

Gold in the Treasury Is Again Up to the Reserve Standard.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—Secretary Carlisle is said to be greatly pleased because the gold reserve again touches a hundred million dollars. The receipts from customs and internal revenue are also pretty good. Nevertheless, shipments to Europe are likely to resume any day, and when they are resumed the reserve will be trenched upon several millions. Evidences grow that the yellow metal is being hoarded.

While the Secretary was gratified today over the fact that the hundred million reserve had been built up again the President was worried over another fact which was far from encouraging. This was the failure of a dollar in gold to be paid into the Treasury yesterday from customs or other receipts. Old Treasury officials say this is unprecedented in the history of the government.

Most of the heavy disbursements for the month have already been made, including $8,000,000 for pensions and other heavy payments. This has reduced the net balance to $22,250,000, but this balance will from now on begin to increase. The gold in the Treasury today is $203,022,684, against which there are $103,797,018 gold certificates outstanding, leaving the net gold, usually denominated the "reserve," $99,225,665. Offers from the West of $1,500,000, which have been accepted, but which do not yet appear on the Treasury books, will, when transferred, make the gold reserve intact and leave a margin of free gold of $726,000.

LITTLE DOING IN WALL STREET.

Departure of Prominent Bears Seems to Encourage the Bull Element.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—The stock market has drifted almost into stagnation. Something of bull courage has been renewed by the discovery that William B. Wheeler and Addison Cammack, who have been the most prominent bear operators in the market for a long time past, have both gone out of town. [illegible] and the [illegible] ities are indicating that Messrs. Wheeler and Cammack are persuaded that the stock market is creeping around on bottom, and that they have covered up their shorts and got out of the way; but it will be probably found that neither Mr. Wheeler nor Mr. Cammack has gone beyond the reach of telegraph communication with Wall street.

In banking circles there is still a good deal of nervousness. Washington dispatches indicate that the Treasury Department is determined upon stringent examinations into the affairs of all national banks whose reserves are below the 25 per cent requirement. One Wall street news agency sent out a bulletin representing that special orders had been issued by Controller Eckles to make an immediate examination of about a score of banks scattered throughout the country, four of them being in New York City. Funds continue easy so far as Wall street is concerned and some commercial paper has been within the last day or two taken by banks which till now have been out of the market for such paper.

With financial trouble anywhere in the country Wall street cannot expect to show bouyancy. On any sharp rallies, therefore, it looks as if conspicuous stocks—those selling at high prices—must be a safe sale. London has stopped buying American stocks and Europe is far from financially serene.

H. ALLAWAY.

GOOD MOVEMENT OF CURRENCY.

New York Bankers Pleased at an Unusually Favorable Statement.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Local bankers were commenting today on the movement this week of currency between banks, which has been unusually large during the last seven days. The notable feature of the receipts was the one of $750,000 by the Bank of New York from Chicago. The Third National Bank received a deposit of $650,000 in gold from the Canadian Bank of Commerce, which, they turned over to the Subtreasury. The remainder of the receipts of twelve of the largest downtown banks aggregated $2,765,000, $2,190,000 coming from the West and $575,000 from the South. The East returned $75,000 and the Middle States about $100,000. The above statement is the best that the city banks have had for more than a year.

Paragraphs About Bankruptcies.

The Hygeian Ice company of Trenton, N. J., is in a receiver's hands. It debts and assets are said to be $150,000.

At Wilkesbarre, Pa., the assignees of the defunct banking house of F. V. Rockefellow reported that of the $500,000 deposits but a 4 per cent dividend would be paid.

Failures are feared today on the London Stock Exchange owing to the alleged collapse of a Greek speculator, whose liabilities are said to be £250,000 and who traded in Portuguese and Greek securities.

W. F. Thomas, assignee of the Sioux City Dry-Goods company, filed his schedule of assets yesterday, the total being $192,211, as against $381,700 in the original schedule. The liabilities, as formerly filed, netted $232,000.

The liabilities of R. R. Robinson & Co., the suspended banking firm of Wilmington, Del., are placed at $325,000 and the assets at $300,000. The concern holds $70,000 Knights of Pythias funds, but it is asserted that the order is fully protected by collateral.

James Dugan, one of the largest leather manufacturers in Salem, Mass., assigned yesterday for the benefit of his creditors. The assignment covers tannery property and real estate here and large tracts of land on Canley, Elk, Williams, and Holly Rivers, West Virginia, together with bark at Watkins Mills, Province of Quebec.

OFFER OF COMPROMISE REJECTED.

Ex-Treasurer O'Brien Makes Unsuccessful Overtures to the Catholic Knights.

Toward the close of the Catholic Knights' session last night the end of the O'Brien case was reached. It proved to be somewhat sensational. A letter was delivered to the Council from Mr. O'Brien, who offered to compromise on the following terms. He to pay $50,000, $5,000 of which was to be in cash, and the remaining $45,000 to be paid in semi-annual instalments of $2,500 each, with interest at 5 per cent, and secured on acceptable real estate. The order was rejected by the council and the communication was ordered returned to Mr. O'Brien, and the case left as it had been disposed of earlier in the session, to be prosecuted by the Executive committee.

The following supreme officers were elected: M. J. Shine, President, Covington, Ky.; Charles E. Hannauer, Vice-President, St. Louis; W. S. O'Rourke, Secretary, Fort Wayne; Charles J. Kirschner, Treasurer, Toledo; J. C. Carroll, Trustee, Norfolk, Va.

F. H. WEEKS HAS FLED.

ALLEGED TO HAVE GONE TO CUBA WITH MANY ACCOUNTS SHORT.

As Co-Trustee in a Number of Estates He Has Handled Other People's Money in Large Amounts, and Much of It Is Said to Be Missing—How the News Is Received in West Superior, Wis.—No Decision as to Passenger Rates on Fast Trains—Banquet of Alpha Delta Phi.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—There is no further doubt that Francis H. Weeks, lawyer, ex-President, ex-Secretary, and ex-Treasurer of the Land and River Improvement company of West Superior, Wis., and ex-Treasurer of the West Superior Iron and Steel company, is a fugitive from justice. He fled from this city two weeks before the news of his failure and assignment was made public. He was last heard from through a letter received in this city a few days ago. He is now understood to be in Cuba. The servant at his country house at Cold Spring Harbor, L. I., says that the entire family has gone away for a year, but it may be a long year.

The assignment of Mr. Weeks was made public Monday, May 1, at a meeting of the stockholders of the Land and River Improvement company. It was stated at that time that Mr. Weeks was prostrated by his misfortunes and had gone to his country house at Cold Spring Harbor to recuperate. He has not been there since Sunday, April 30. His house there is in charge of his sister. The pictures have been taken from the walls, the carpets from the floors, and the furniture has been stored away.

The investigation into Mr. Weeks' affairs, which has been going on ever since his assignment, has revealed an extraordinary state of things. Mr. Weeks was co-trustee in a number of estates and had charge of large amounts of other people's money. Much of this has disappeared, and those who were examining his books can only conjecture where it is gone. He is known to have been a heavy speculator in Wall street during the last year, and this fact and the recent decline in the market may explain where the money has gone. Mr. Weeks was co-trustee in many estates and as far as heard from all his different accounts show shortages. Some of these co-trustees are reported as having said that his robberies were enormous. At the time of Mr. Weeks' assignment his liabilities were estimated at $400,000, and his assets at about $600,000. This was before the investigation into his accounts. One eminent lawyer, who is counsel for a number of trust estates of which Weeks had entire or partial charge, admitted that Weeks had taken from these estates over $250,000. He would not give the exact amount, but further inquiry points to a nearer and more correct estimate of nearly $1,000,000.

A dispatch from West Superior, Wis., says: The announcement this evening that Francis Henry Weeks, the President of the Land and River Improvement company, had absconded with several hundred thousand dollars caused little surprise or comment here. His assignment contemporaneous with his resignation from the land company, the meager news from New York about these affairs, the land company attachments against the West Superior Land and Steel works, and the bringing of experts from the East to investigate the books, all tended to prepare the public mind for further developments. It now transpires that Mr. Weeks, as President of the Land company, loaned to the steel works of which he was treasurer $375,000 without the knowledge of the other directors. He took Steel company notes unsecured. This transaction led to a call for his resignation and the investigation of the books. The Land company's attachments against the steel works fully cover these loans.

R. J. Wemyss, Vice-President of the Land company, admitted that he was not surprised at the news from New York. He thinks, however, that Mr. Weeks has not absconded, but that he is in Canada fishing and will appear when wanted. Another Land company official admitted that there was a $30,000 shortage shown by the Land company books. This $30,000, it is claimed, will be made good, and there was no need of Mr. Weeks leaving the country because of it.

ALPHA DELTA PHI ANNUAL DINNER.

Social Reunion of Fraternity Men, with Speeches and Songs Galore.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—College songs sung by the gray-haired veterans and the youths of the Alpha Delta Phi Society resounded in the banquet hall at Delmonico's tonight at the society's sixty-first annual dinner. Two hundred were present, and all had an enjoyable time. Clarence A. Seward acted as toastmaster. The Rev. Dr. E. Winchester Donald responded to the toast "Alpha Delta Phi"; Joseph H. Choate, to "High Thinking and Plain Living"; Gen. Thomas Ewing, to "The Commonwealth"; Hamilton W. Mabie, to "The Songs of Alpha Delta Phi"; Prof. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, to "The American University"; and Bartow S. Weeks, to "The Coming Man." Clarence A. Seward was reelected President of the society at its convention today.

NO CHANGE PROBABLE IN THE CREED.

Question Will Doubtless Come, However, Before the Presbyterian Assembly.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The *Times* will say in the morning:

It is very probable that the matter of the revision of the creed of the Presbyterian Church may come up before the General Assembly of that church in Washington next week in a way unexpected by many prominent ministers of the denomination who consider that the question of revision has been practically shelved by the recent actions of various presbyteries and notably by the Presbytery of New York. In all 196 presbyteries have been heard from, of which 114 approve the revision, while of the 82 not approving it 23 decline to vote, leaving only 59 definitely opposed. Out of a total of 225 presbyteries, therefore, scarcely 120 seem likely to be found favoring the first attempt of the Presbyterian Church to revise the creed, which is thir

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WANT CAREFUL TESTS

ENGINEERS DISSATISFIED WITH SYSTEM OF FAIR AWARDS.

They Declare That They Are Anxious to Have All Machinery Thoroughly Examined and the Results Published by the Exposition Officials—They Think the Published Statements Would Be Invaluable—Their Request for an Unbiased Investigation Ignored.

Great dissatisfaction is expressed by engineers, by manufacturers of boilers, engines, motors, and railway appliances, and by fuel companies with the methods of making awards at the World's Fair. It is understood that no sort of test is to be made of any engine, motor, or fuel or mechanical device whatever. It is greatly to be deplored, these engineers say, that the Exposition authorities have seen fit to neglect such an important matter. Here, they say, is an opportunity such as never before existed for the world to acquire a fund of information valuable beyond all computation to engineers and to manufacturers. Every type of engine, steam generator, gas and other motor; all methods for the transmission of power by compressed air, electricity, wire rope; all sorts of carrying machinery and numberless other mechanical devices are here gathered together ready to have their comparative merits shown, and the opportunity is to be passed by. It is understood that no provision has been made for comprehensive scientific tests as suggested by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. It is urged that not only practicing engineers but business men desiring to engage in some line of manufacturing could refer to the reports made and have an actual, unprejudiced account of the performance of any engine or machine in which they might be interested, instead of being forced to rely on the assertions of manufacturing agents.

Would Cause No Competition.

This would not necessitate any competition, the engineers say. All tests of each class of exhibits could be made on the same line and the results published by the World's Fair authorities. They agree that even if Mr. Thacher would carry out his single-judge idea and provide means of making tests it would be a big thing. It would be better for all concerned, they say, to have fewer judges and spend some of the money thus saved in making the tests.

As for the manufacturers who have exhibits at Jackson Park, they seem to have taken it so entirely as a matter of course that tests were to be made that most of them expressed great surprise when it was intimated to them that such was not the case. Had they known, many of them say, that no tests were to be made they would not have spent so much money in making exhibits. Some go still further and declare they would have made no exhibits at all. In brief, it would seem that all concerned are extremely anxious that tests be made.

In December, 1892, a committee appointed for the purpose by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, at the request of the Committee on Awards of the World's Columbian Exposition, presented a report on methods for physical and mechanical tests of steam engines and other machines. After dwelling upon the great opportunities afforded by international expositions to keep pace with the developments of other nations in the various departments of science and art, and for careful tests of the relative merits of the various products, manufactures, machines, and methods developed under different conditions in various parts of the world, the committee recommends the following tests:

Various Tests Suggested.

1. Tests of the absolute calorie and practical value of different fuels, particularly those available in the United States, to be made with apparatus capable of modification in order to assimilate the forms best adapted for the several fuels.

2. Tests of different types of steam boilers, classified as to size and the purposes for which they are to be employed. The collection of boilers of different kinds exhibited will furnish unequaled facilities for such trials.

3. Tests of steam engines, which should be classified as to type, size, and adaptability for particular purposes. This work is in itself of sufficient importance to occupy the attention of several observers throughout the entire Exposition.

4. Tests of different kinds of pumping machinery, classified first as to the source of power; for instance, as operated by steam or other prime movers, with subclassification suited to different degrees of economy and adaptations for various purposes.

5. Tests of attachments to boilers, engines, and pumps, such as safety valves, safety attachments, feeding devices, the various kinds of regulators, and other devices of the kind.

6. Tests of heat engines other than steam engines; for instance, those in which the transmitting medium is air, the lighter products of petroleum, aqua ammonia, or other fluid.

7. Tests of turbines and other water motors. Such tests when properly discussed in connection with accurate plans of the several devices would be of the highest scientific and commercial value.

8. Tests of windmills of various kinds and sizes.

9. Tests of means of transmission, designed to show the improvements that have been made in gearing, belting, etc., etc.

10. Tests of steam locomotives, designed particularly to show the improvements that have been made in increasing the power of modern locomotives, and the effect and influence of higher steam pressures, compounding, etc., etc.

11. Tests of apparatus relative to railroads, such as detail of construction of locomotives and cars, air brakes, signaling apparatus, etc.

12. Tests of improvements in marine propulsion, including improved details of propelling machinery, the comparative efficiencies of different forms of waterwheels and propellers, the value of various safety devices, of apparatus for handling merchandise, of steam-steering devices, and the like. Necessarily tests of this kind must be confined to competitive structures and devices actually on exhibition.

Should Examine Fire Apparatus.

13. Tests of fire engines, directed particularly to ascertain the relative efficiency, compared to weight, of portable engines, with other trials to determine the question of reliability under the conditions of practical use.

14. Tests of electrical apparatus which involve the transmission of motion, such as complete tests of the electrical and practical efficiencies of dynamos and electric motors, under various applications; tests of electrical locomotives and of various details relative to electric haulage.

15. Tests of competitive details of cable railways and miscellaneous means of propulsion.

16. Tests of the strength of physical characteristics of new materials and of new shapes and combinations of materials that may be brought out during the Exposition.

A series of experiments of the highest value can be made by forming compounds of given metals, progressively varying the proportions and testing their physical properties.

The members of the committee have discussed the scope of the proposed experiments in accordance with two general methods, the second in a sense being an elaboration of the first—viz.:

1. The exercise only of such care and elaboration in the nature and number of observations as to show indisputably the relative performance of different machines, so that a manufacturer may claim a commercial superiority for his device, based on the result of reliable tests under competent authority; and to record, in connection with such trials, the governing dimensions of the different machines, and the data customarily taken under such circumstances, such, for instance, when testing a steam engine, as the power, the distribution of the steam, the quantity of fuel consumed, the weight of water evaporated, the quality of the steam, the steam-pressures and vacuum, and the various temperatures, together with, in important cases, the chemical composition of the coal and of the escaping gases.

2. To ascertain, in addition to the above, such conditions as are necessary to distinguish how the performance of each machine corresponds with or differs from the accepted theories on the subject; and to so formulate the results that the theories themselves may be enlarged or otherwise modified, and additions be made on a scientific basis to the strictly theoretical knowledge of the subject.

The difference between the two methods may be briefly widened that neither will be satisfactory, for the experimental observations may on the one hand be so limited that little will be known except which device performed best under a particular trial under conditions not fully recorded, and on the other hand, the elaboration of details may be carried to such a great extent that comparatively little will be accomplished in the endeavor to do everything superlatively well.

Experts Should Be in Charge.

It is recommended that the experiments be put in general charge of a commission of experts, including among its members those of the necessary scientific, practical, and business qualifications to insure that important portions of the work done may be analyzed in the most thorough and scientific manner; that a sufficient number of experiments be made in all departments to satisfy all practical demands when considered either in the engineering or commercial sense; that the whole business be conducted with such regard to correct principles as to insure that no work will be attempted which cannot be completed with the time and means available; that all work be carried forward in a prompt and business-like way, reported upon, and finally completed at the end; and that the organization in detail be such that all these results may be obtained without clashing of authority or disputations as to the accuracy of the results. It is believed that a commission of engineers may be selected competent to accomplish this purpose, and it is recommended that such commission be organized as a subsidiary bureau under some department of the Exposition, through which it will report, and that all tests, except those herein excepted, be referred to and conducted under the direction of such Bureau of Tests.

The work of the Bureau of Tests would be of such nature that it will naturally be initiated by the Department of Awards, but it will be necessary to prepare for and to conduct the tests in the Department of Machinery. It may therefore be desirable that the formal reports of such bureau be made through the Department of Machinery to the Department of Awards, so that both departments will be directly interested in furthering the work. Some with organization is absolutely necessary to insure confidence and even to prevent difficulty.

Few Judges Desirable.

It is recommended that at first the number of members of the Bureau of Tests be kept as small as possible, and as the nature of the work which it is possible to undertake with the cooperation of the exhibitors develops, other experts in special branches of science may be added so that the work of the bureau may be done under the advice of an expert member, but without departing from the unity of a strong, distinct organization. The expenses of some of the tests may be borne by voluntary subscription, but the organization, to be efficient, cannot be maintained that way. Necessary testing machines and instruments, with trifling exceptions, will be gladly lent by the manufacturers, but some portable apparatus will need to be constructed for the particular location.

It is believed that the sum of $50,000 can be advantageously expended throughout the Exposition in making tests of the kind indicated, but it will only be necessary to provide at first for the salary and office expenses of the Superintendent and traveling expenses of the members of the bureau. Suitable space should, however, be set aside for a small laboratory in which tests can be made which cannot be conducted with machines in place in the Exposition, and which will serve also as headquarters and space for the adjustment and storage of special apparatus.

All the work which it is expected will have any scientific value should be conducted in accordance with standard methods approved by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and other engineering societies here and abroad.

Although submitted in due form and in good season, it is said, this report was practically ignored by the Committee on Awards. Its suggestions have not been acted upon. Whatever merits the exhibits of engines, boilers, and motors may possess will, from present indications, not be disclosed at the Fair. All exhibits of this class will be there exclusively on appearances.

TYPIFIES WISCONSIN'S MOTTO.

Miss Jean Miner's Statue "Forward" Is Now Ready for Casting.

The Wisconsin State Building will contain among other statues one by Miss Jean P. Miner, illustrative of the State motto "Forward." The artist is thoroughly imbued with

"FORWARD."
[Jean Pond Miner, sculptor.]

the spirit of her subject, for when the fire went out in her studio at the Fair grounds one cold night last winter just as the figure was ready to cast, destroying in a night the work of months, she did not stop to repine, but going bravely forward constructed a new one, and the figure which now again is ready to cast is more beautiful than before. The design is a woman standing in the prow of a boat with uplifted hand looking forward, holding with her left arm an American flag. The prow of the boat, which serves as a subpedestal, will have a peculiar interest for the old soldiers on account of the figurehead, which represents Old Abe, the famous eagle of the Eighth Wisconsin. The general pose of the figure is good, the drapery has been given an excellent wind-blown effect, which adds materially to the grace and strength.

The sturdy old voyageurs who discovered the State have paddled all night, and as the sun gilds the strange shore, woman, type of devotion and progress, stands ready as soon as the keel shall grate on the shore to step out in an unbroken wilderness and erect that guardian of America, the home. The uplifted hand reacted out in salute to the as yet untried future, the calm face full of a quiet strength which shall come down to Wisconsin's sons and daughters as their chief heritage will grow on the observer as they are studied. The handling of the subject shows the true artistic spirit. The pose which, by reason of the uplifted arm, is difficult to treat is well done, and one is impressed with the harmony of the whole figure.

The artist, Miss Jean P. Miner, is a native of Wisconsin, the daughter of a Congregational minister of Madison. She has been for several years a student at the Art Institute, this city, and is a member of the Palette club. She is not only a close student, but, as this her most ambitious work shows, possesses that power of insight which coupled with the creating faculty marks the true artist. The statue of Miss Miner is one of the best things so far produced for any of the State buildings. The present figure is better than the one ruined by freezing and shows that the artist is growing in expression and strength. The figure was originally intended to be in Vermont marble, but it is thought now that it will be cast in bronze. If this is done it will probably be in position by the time the Exposition is fairly open.

INFANTA IS HAVING A GOOD TIME.

Eulalia Attends a Bull Fight and a Ball—Fear for Her Health at Madrid.

HAVANA, May 12.—The Infanta Eulalia and her husband, Prince Antoine d'Orleans, visited the Casa Beneficencia yesterday, where they laid the corner-stone of a building to be devoted to the benefit of working people. At a later hour they attended a bull fight. The Infanta and Prince Antoine arrived at the bull fight just at the moment that the celebrated matador Cheche was killing the third bull. The Infanta gave Cheche one of her rings in token of admiration for the power and skill displayed by the matador. In addition to their other functions of yesterday, the Infanta Eulalia and her husband visited the Sagrade Corazon College, whose directress, Madre Tur, was formerly a teacher of the Princess. In the evening they attended a ball at the villa of Count Fernandini.

MADRID, May 12.—Disquieting news concerning the Infanta Eulalia's health has been received from Havana. The Queen Regent has commanded Premier Sagasta to obtain more details as to her physical condition and is said to feel that the proposed journey to Chicago could be made only at the gravest risk. The Infanta has been far from well for several years. At court the opinion is that the Infanta may be able to attend the World's Fair, but the hope is expressed that she will return directly to Spain from Havana.

"Central" Moved to New Quarters.

"Central" moved into Electricity Building yesterday, nearly 200 wires and eighty trunk lines being transferred from the Service Building in twenty-four hours. The switchboard is something entirely new, and is known as the branch terminal multiple. It has many technical advantages, but the greatest is the protection it offers from dust.

One thousand machines can be operated from the board, and there are places for sixteen operators.

RECEIVED BY A CITY.

INTERNATIONAL Y. M. C. A. ENTERTAINED BY INDIANAPOLIS.

Gov. Matthews of Indiana and Others Welcome the Visiting Delegates in Addresses—In the Session of the Convention the Aggressive Young Christians Decide on Pressing Their Work Over All of North America—Million Dollar Failure in Court at Joliet, Ill.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—The Commercial club of Indianapolis tendered a monster reception tonight to the visiting delegates to the International Y. M. C. A. convention at the Propylæum. It was attended by State and city officials and the ladies of the city. Speeches were made by Gov. Matthews, ex-Attorney-General W. H. H. Miller, the Rev. Dr. H. A. Cleveland, and others. Responses were made by International Committee Chairman Albert B. Monroe, President Bierce, and ex-Gov. Chase.

The third day's session opened with the usual song and prayer service this morning. The first real business of today's session was the report of W. K. Jennings of Pittsburg, Pa., Chairman of the Committee on the Report of the International committee. Among other things the committee recommended that the second Sunday in November and the week following be set apart hereafter as a time for general thanksgiving to God. The International committee was authorized to expend $80,000 among special classes of young men in developing the technical educational lines of work that have become popular under the training school system. The committee was authorized to extend the Y. M. C. A. work to all of North America on the same lines as previously conducted in the United States and Canada. The Chicago training school was approved and recognized as an official school of the International Y. M. C. A. Before the morning session adjourned subscriptions in support of the work intrusted to the International committee by the Thirtieth International Convention of Y. M. C. A.'s for 1893-'94 were taken up and amounted to over $28,000.

There was no session held in Roberts Park Church this afternoon, but instead the delegates were divided into eight different conferences, which met at various points all over the city. The work of these various conferences and the result of their deliberations will be reported to the assembled convention at the morning session tomorrow.

MILLION DOLLAR FAILURE IN COURT.

The Stone City Bank Cases Called for Trial in Joliet, Ill.

JOLIET, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The million dollar Stone City Bank and Enterprise Band Wire company failure has again come to the surface in the Circuit Court in this city. There are three distinct phases of the case or cases. One is the consolidated case to test the judgment of $176,000 confessed by the Joliet Enterprise company in favor of Fish's bank and all the conveyances made by the Fishes at about the time of the failure, and a couple of cross bills come in for part of the hearing. Then comes the trust deed of C. H. Blair & Co., which principally represents the Chicago and New York banks. Another phase of the case which will be tried here is the mechanic's liens, in which many local dealers are interested. And the last case is that of a storage company that advanced $50,000 on some manufactured product of the Enterprise company. They now claim and have possession, but have given a bond to turn over the property if the case is decided against them.

DENTAL SOCIETIES ELECT OFFICERS.

Conventions at Rock Island, Ill., and Davenport, Ia., Close Their Sessions.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The Illinois State Dental Society closed its convention here tonight. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Garrett Newkirk, Chicago; Vice-President, J. W. Cormany, Mount Carroll; Secretary, Louis Ottofy, Chicago; Treasurer, W. A. Stevens, Chicago; Librarian, F. H. McIntosh, Bloomington; Supervisor of Clinics, E. A. Royce, Chicago; Assistants, A. H. McCandless, Rock Island, B. S. Wickoff, Chicago; Members of Executive Council, E. K. Blair, Waverly, C. N. Johnson, Chicago, S. F. Duncan, Joliet. The convention will be held at Springfield next year.

DAVENPORT, Ia., May 12.—The Iowa State Dental Society closed its session today. Officers for the ensuing year were chosen as follows: President, Dr. T. L. James, Fairfield; Vice-President, H. A. Woodbury, Council Bluffs; Secretary, F. T. Breene, Iowa City; Treasurer, A. R. Begun, Des Moines. Council Bluffs was chosen as the next place of meeting, the date to be the same as that of the Nebraska State Dental Society at Omaha.

Testing Iowa's Alien Land Law.

LE MARS, Ia., May 13.—[Special.]—An alien cannot inherit property under the Iowa law from a citizen of the United States. In 1880 Charles Watmesley came to Iowa from England and commenced breeding fine stock near Akron. In 1886 he took out his final citizenship papers. In 1892 he died, after willing his property to his father, Richard Joseph Watmesley of Brentwood, County Essex, England. One Pitt Seaman was appointed administrator of the estate and realized $5,000 from the sale of personal effects, which the father gets, but he is not permitted to take the real estate, worth several times as much. Patrick Farrell, County Attorney of Plymouth County, has instituted a proceeding in behalf of the State of Iowa to have the land forfeited to the State school fund.

Officers of Michigan Medical Society.

MUSKEGON, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—The State Medical Association held its final session today, and adjourned to meet next year in Lansing. Dr. Eugene Boise was elected President, the other officers being: First Vice-President, A. H. Kimball, Battle Creek; Treasurer, W. G. Henry, Detroit; Judicial Council, G. V. Chamberlain, Flint; D. H. Wood, Quincy; J. M. Snook, Kalamazoo. Dr. H. M. Lyman of Chicago, Dr. Lapthorne Smith of Montreal, and Dr. Fred Byron Robinson of Chicago were elected honorary members.

Kidnaped His Own Child.

DECATUR, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—Mrs. Sadie L. Robinson, a spiritualist, was buried in Decatur yesterday. She was the wife of Chris Robinson, a Chicago saloonkeeper, and left a little girl Flora by name. The father demanded possession of the child but Mrs. John Priest, his mother-in-law, refused to give her up. Today Robinson kidnaped his own child, driving off with her in a buggy. Mrs. Priest got in the way of the rig and was seriously hurt by being run over.

Engineer and Fireman Killed.

CAIRO, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—As a passenger train on the Cotton Belt route was approaching Smithton, Mo., eight miles from here, the engine left the track and rolled down an embankment. Fireman Smith and Engineer King were caught under it and both instantly killed. The mail and baggage car immediately behind the engine was also derailed and fell on its side. Its inmates were not badly hurt.

Mrs. Johnson Awarded Alimony.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 12.—[Special.]—Judge Otis today awarded the wife of A. E. Johnson, the steamship agent, $35,000 alimony. Her husband, some months ago, secured a divorce from her at Chicago, but through a technical error in the serving of the summons at that time Mrs. Johnson was able to take it up in the courts here.

Michigan School Superintendents Meet.

LANSING, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—The State association of city superintendents of schools held its nineteenth annual meeting here today and elected officers as follows: President, John A. Stewart, Port Huron; Vice-President, Charles T. Grawn, Traverse City; Secretary and Treasurer, Charles O. Hoyt, Jackson.

Heavy Sale of Lake Superior Ore.

ISHPEMING, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—Private advices give information of the sale of 700,000 tons of Lake Superior ore in Cleveland this week by big mines at compromise figures under $4. This gives a far better tone to the business, and indicates a speedy termination of the deadlock between producers and consumers.

Northwest Notes.

C. M. Harper, a wealthy farmer living near Keokuk, Ia., committed suicide by shooting himself.

Gerdian Bathrick, on trial at Pontiac, Mich., for the murder of his father, was found guilty of manslaughter.

Tuscola, Ill., has sued W. H. Gray & Co. of Chicago to recover $5,000 paid them on drilling an artesian well, claiming that the firm did not sink the well 3,000 feet as contracted. The company has brought suit against the city for the same amount, claiming it as a balance.

In a deserted cabin near Deadwood, S. D., a miner found a skeleton and a newspaper dated January, 1876.

Theresa and John Cherney were acquitted on the charge of murdering their father at Kewanee, Mich.

Lou Treuck, on preliminary hearing at Brownstown, Ind., was held for trial for the murder of Henry Faedler.

John Reagan was shot and fatally wounded at Red Key, Ind., Thursday night. He does not know the name of his assailant.

Work was resumed in all the coal mines of the Daviess County district yesterday, the miners accepting last year's scale of wages.

All coal shafts in Wilmington field at Braidwood, Ill., are closed down on account of a strike of mule drivers against a reduction.

Harry Jenkins, the 5-year-old son of James Jenkins, dropped a dynamite cartridge at Brazil, Ind., exploding it. His injuries are fatal.

Workmen struck a vein of natural gas while digging a drain near Decatur, Mich. It is the first vein found in Southwestern Michigan.

Wilson, a farmer living near Farnham, Neb., shot two boys for crossing his field after they had been warned not to. He has been arrested.

Israel Edelstein, a dry goods dealer of Pecatonica, Ill., committed suicide by drowning. He is believed to have been temporarily insane.

A heavy wind-storm near Pinckney, Mich., blew over several barns and the house of William Thompson, severely injuring Mrs. Thompson.

John Daly, a machinist of St. Louis, Mo., cut his wife's throat and then tried to kill himself. He failed and is now under arrest for murder.

Harry Wilson was arrested in Sioux City, Ia., charged with stealing $1,000 worth of furniture from a hotel that had been temporarily closed.

The correspondents from Berlin and Strasburg, representing a syndicate of German papers, were entertained by the Twin City newspapermen at St. Paul, Minn., yesterday.

Diphtheria is epidemic in Oshkosh, Wis., being confined entirely to the aristocratic part of the town. The disease was contracted in a poorly ventilated school building.

The Michigan W. C. T. U. convention closed its session at Muskegon by electing Mrs. L. M. Johnson of Flint Recording Secretary and Mrs. Emma H. Way of Clio Treasurer.

A combination train on the Evansville and Indianapolis road was derailed yesterday near Brasil, Ind. The engine and several coaches were badly damaged. No one was injured.

Charles Exby, who persisted in running a saloon at Galesburg, Ill., in defiance of the anti-license action of the city at the last election, was arrested yesterday and held to the grand jury.

Dr. J. S. Allen says he is the only person of that name doing business in Keithsburg, Ill., and that he was not the person who recently had the disagreeable experience mentioned in the Dubuque dispatches.

Two hotel proprietors were arrested in St. Paul, Minn., yesterday for alleged violations of the oleomargarine law. The State Dairy Inspector has inaugurated a crusade against the illegal sale of oleomargarine.

GERMAN ART EXHIBIT AT THE FAIR.

Magnificent Display of Paintings from the Empire—Masterwork in Portraiture.

The art exhibit at the World's Columbian Exposition, even in the present incomplete state, offers an abundance of rare sights, for to all appearance all the exhibiting nations have endeavored to offer their best. The art section of France has been opened first to the public, and with elaborate preparations, such as a varnishing day and a splendid banquet, and due recognition was given. But there are a number of representative nations participating at the art exhibit which have either opened without formal ceremonies or their exhibits are not quite completed.

England makes a splendid show. The works of its artists will be a revelation to the American people, as was the case in 1886 at the Art Exposition in Berlin, where the people up to that time considered Englishmen only as practical merchants. The Roman groups by Alma Tadema are realistic, and, at the same time, they present artistic dignity. Hubert Herkimer's excellent portraits, as well as landscapes and marine scenes by Dicksee, Moore, and others, will attract the admiration of connoisseurs.

As portraits and groups are conspicuous in the English section the Netherland division is made prominent and draws attention by its shore scenes; a peculiar and different tone prevails in each one of these divisions. While English art is of bright coloring, the somber shades predominate in Holland's division, implied by the subjects, life and habitations of fishermen and coasters.

The German division shelters magnificent treasures of art exhibited by individual artists, also such loaned from the National Gallery. Herr Schnars-Alquist, Germany's Art Commissioner, has divided the exhibit into three prominent groups as to coloring, shades, and subjects. One of the salons contains the historic groups. It represents the dignity and brilliancy of the German imperial family. A colossal painting by Ferdinand Keller, an apotheosis emblazoning the reconstruction of the German Empire, covers the entire wall space in this room. This grand painting is the property of the National Gallery in Berlin. Emperor Wilhelm I., Emperor Frederick, and Prince Bismarck are made the life-size and prominent figures of the group. Bismarck's portrait is there by various masters. Thus the salon could be termed "The Bismarck," for in a certain measure the days of glory of Germany's first imperial Chancellor are vividly recalled thereby.

A. von Werner's historic group, "The Berlin Congress," is a masterwork of portrait painting; here also the ex-Chancellor figures as the most prominent personage of his time; the participants of the "Congress," all European celebrities, are grouped around the Prince and listen to his explanations, his words, dictating peace to Europe. This magnificent painting is valued at $25,000 and will likely be purchased by the Germania club of this city. In this division there is also a striking portrait of Emperor William II. by Max Kroner.

Another collection in an adjoining room places the spectator in a solemn frame of mind; there are the religious and dramatic scenes, works of art of great value. The third division, containing several apartments, shelters Stilleben, German landscapes, portraits, groups, and marine scenes by masters of international repute, such as A. von Werner, Molly Cramer, Gabril Max, Franz Simm, Friz Uhde, Eugen Dücker, Max Bredt, Edmund Harburger, Menzel, Lenbach, Schnars-Alquist, Liebermann, Schuch, and others. Among the works of sculpture Bothe's marble statue, "Eve," causes as much sensation as the various pictures of Columbus are causing doubt relative to their genuineness. On the galleries of the German section one will find drawings, portraits by Menzel only a few inches in circumference, which vary in price from $1,000 to $5,000. The majority of visitors—laymen, of course—pass these works of art, and if they were probably offered at 50 cents each the average visitor would still hesitate buying; nevertheless they are works of art of high standing, for which connoisseurs abroad are paying the mentioned prices. Probably in the course of a week the entire German section will be open to the public.

CHICAGO UNIVERSITY UNION MEETS.

An Interesting Literary and Musical Program for the Occasion.

The spring meeting of the Chicago University Union was held last evening in Cobb Lecture Hall. The evening's program consisted of literary exercises and music. Edwin H. Lewis spoke on "The New Rhetoric." Mr. Lewis said to be able to answer rhetorical questions was once the sole duty of the student; since, a great reform has been instituted. Good style comes from long practice. Yet this was only a means to an end and easy expression of thought was the desired goal.

J. W. Thompson's address on "Progressive Party" was rather above the ordinary undergraduate, but showed deep study and thorough knowledge of his subject.

Mr. Kummel gave an exhaustive account of recent progress in glacial geology.

The University Union is still in its infancy, the meeting last night being the second one held. Clifford Barnes is President; Mr. Rogers, Secretary and Treasurer. It now has sixteen clubs on its roster and expects several more before college closes in June. At the conclusion of the literary exercises a promenade concert was held in the halls. Light refreshments were served.

KNOCKED TWENTY FEET BY A TRAIN.

Railroad Commissioner Gahan and Ald. Carey Narrowly Escape Death.

Ald. Thomas Carey and Railroad Commissioner Gahan were knocked twenty feet into the air by a train last night while they were riding in a buggy west on Twenty-seventh street. At the crossing of the New Albany railroad they were run into by the Monon south bound express. The buggy was demolished and its occupants thrown out. Commissioner Gahan received severe bruises and had his right hip hurt; Ald. Carey was badly hurt in the jaw and leg. Both will recover.

A workman on the La Salle street tunnel fell down the air shaft at 2 o'clock this morning and was killed. His body was taken to Sigmund's morgue on Fifth avenue. There was nothing on his person by which he could be identified.

NEWMAN IS REMOVED.

GOV. ALTGELD OUSTS AN INSUBORDINATE DEMOCRAT.

Resident Trustee of the Asylum for the Insane at Elgin Loses His Office Because He Thought More of Good Administration than of Paying Political Debts—Democrats of the Illinois Lower House to Attend to Business—Democrat Takes Terre Haute's Postoffice by Force.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—When Gov. Altgeld appointed the new Board of Trustees to manage the Hospital for the Insane at Elgin he named John Newman, a prominent Democrat of Elgin, resident trustee, and when the new board organized he gave the trustees to understand that they must at once appoint a new Superintendent in place of Dr. Brooks, who had managed this institution successfully for years, but was disqualified for service under a "reform" administration because he was a Republican. At the same time the Governor told the trustees he had picked out a man for Superintendent and wanted him appointed. The trustees have not yet obeyed these instructions and the Governor blames Mr. Newman therefor.

Mr. Newman, whose long residence at Elgin had made him familiar with the successful administration of the asylum by Dr. Brooks, desired to retain the latter notwithstanding his politics, and insisted that, as the law vested the appointing power in the trustees and made them responsible for the administration of the institution, they alone had the right to select the Superintendent and should exercise their own judgment in the matter. He also insisted that the man proposed by the Governor was not a suitable man for the position, being altogether too old to perform the work and successfully manage an institution of this character.

He was accordingly summoned here and had a stormy interview with the Governor, in which he was plainly told he must carry out the orders given or resign or he would be removed. He persisted in his position, and April 17 Gov. Altgeld wrote him that from the reports received and from what occurred in their interview here he was satisfied that Newman could not get along harmoniously with the other trustees, and as a great institution like that asylum could not be managed successfully unless the trustees were harmonious he would be glad to receive Mr. Newman's resignation at once. After waiting nearly a month for his resignation the Governor today filed with the Secretary of State a formal order of removal reading as follows:

April 17 I asked for the resignation of John Newman as trustee of the Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane. I took this action because it had been evident to me for some time that in his capacity of trustee of that institution he did not possess that kind of qualification necessary to the discharge of the duties of that office, and that the successful administration of the hospital, and the inauguration of certain reforms in its mode of management demanded the change contemplated. I have failed to receive a reply to my communication asking for his resignation. Being fully convinced, however, of the correctness of my conclusions with respect to the best interests of the institution I, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Illinois, do hereby remove said John Newman, member of the Board of Trustees of the Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane, and declare his office vacant.

GETTING THE DEMOCRATS INTO LINE.

Representatives at Springfield Agree to Go to Work—The Senate to Meet Today.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 12.—Sixty-eight of the Democratic members of the House have entered into a written agreement to be in attendance at every session of the House Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and to remain there until the adjournment for the day takes place. This is deemed necessary in order to facilitate the passage of the Congressional apportionment bill. The following members did not sign the agreement, but it is understood they have verbally agreed to abide by the provisions of the compact:

Baldwin, Forsythe, May, McGinley, Wilkening, Novak, Smith of Macon, Zimmerman, and O'Donnell.

Eight Senators met today and received a message from the House that that body had receded from the amendments to the Senatorial apportionment bill. Then the Senate adjourned and as no time was specified a meeting is in order at the usual hour tomorrow. There will not be a quorum present.

In the House this morning the Senate appropriation bills of the calender in the order of first reading were advanced to second reading.

All of the other Senate bills on the calendar on the order of first reading were read and referred. A bill giving the South Park Commissioners power to purchase the World's Fair Art Gallery was read a first time and made a special order for next Tuesday on second reading.

TAKES THE POSTOFFICE BY FORCE.

Democrats at Terre Haute Scheme to Evade the Civil Service Law.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—Donham, the newly appointed Postmaster of Terre Haute, tonight took possession of the postoffice by force. Donham received his commission this morning and demanded immediate possession of the office. Postmaster Greiner wanted him to wait until tomorrow night, or until after business hours tonight, which he declined to do. Greiner telegraphed to the department and received a reply to transfer the office Saturday night after business hours, according to custom, and to notify Donham. The latter disregarded the notice and took possession of the Postmaster's room, Greiner retiring to the interior and locking the doors. The scheme of the Democrats is to get their Postmaster in before the civil service examination tomorrow, believing that he would thereby be able to turn out the force of employés, as the office does not pass under the law until this first examination is held. Donham has announced his force and ordered them to report for duty in the morning. This evening Donham and some others forced their way into the interior of the office. Greiner locked the vault and retired after an unavailing appeal to the police and Sheriff for aid.

Victory for Rhode Island Democrats.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 12.—The Supreme Court today handed down a rescript overruling the demurrer set up by the Republicans against the Democratic application for a writ of mandamus to compel the Town Council of South Kingston to order a new election for Senator and Representative. In the event of an election being ordered the political complexion of the State Government may depend upon the result, as without the two Assemblymen from that district the Republicans will have two less than the necessary majority in the Legislature, which is to elect the State officers.

After the Michigan Southern Road.

LANSING, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—The Senate today passed a concurrent resolution authorizing the Attorney-General and Commissioner of Railroads to commence proceedings against the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company to test the validity of the Mills law of 1891, repealing the special charter of the company and bringing it under the operations of the general railroad law, thereby materially increasing its rate of taxation as well as depriving it of many special and valuable privileges which it has thus far enjoyed. The general tax bill repealing the law of 1891 was passed today.

League of Musicians Elect Officers.

DETROIT, Mich., May 12.—The National League of Musicians elected officers today as follows: President, C. H. Ruhe of Pittsburg, reelected; First Vice-President, Alexander Bremer of New York; Second Vice-President, H. Asmus of Buffalo; Third Vice-President, H. S. Reisenober of Indianapolis; Treasurer, George Schath of Cincinnati; Secretary, Jacob Beck of Philadelphia, reelected.

Two Mammoth Apple Trees.

The two largest apple trees in the State of New York are both near the town of Wilson. The largest was planted in 1815 and thirty-three full barrels of apples were once picked from its branches in a single season. The other is on the farm of J. G. O. Brown and yielded twenty barrels of "choice" fruit and five barrels of "culls" in the season of 1891.

Evolution of the Tea Gown.

A dressmaker says she makes no more wrappers. "They are so much fancier with a

RULED BIRDIE M. OFF.

M'CAFFERTY'S MARE AND EZELL'S JOCKEY LANDED.

Hawthorne Judges Make a Ruling Which Does Not Reach the Real Culprits—Locolus' Owner After Burning Up the Ring Escapes Unscathed—Bob Lytle by Yesterday's Race Shows How Rotten Tuesday's Race Was—Guess, St. Albans, Mamie S., and Sunnybrook Also Win.

The last race at Hawthorne yesterday served to demonstrate how completely rotten the Locolus race of Tuesday was.

It will be remembered that Cratty was landed for a bad ride on Bob Lytle in that race. Lytle was favorite and finished absolutely last, dropping out of the race in the most mysterious manner at the stretch turn. In yesterday's race Lytle, against a better lot, was a 7 to 1 shot and won after a hard drive up the stretch. Parolee was a hot favorite and was heavily played. Luke F. made the running until well into the stretch, where there was a general closing and in a ding dong finish Bob Lytle won by a neck from Sea Light, with Laura K third, close up.

The judges yesterday announced that Daly had been ruled off for his ride on Birdie M. in the Locolus race. The mare was also ruled off. The ruling seems a most extraordinary one. If McCafferty is guilty enough for the judges to rule his mare off it would seem that he is guilty enough to be landed himself. By the ruling Ezell, whom one can readily believe to have engineered the whole job, escaped unscathed after burning the ring up. Daly did not pull Birdie M. for his own amusement. He must have been acting under orders, and as the mare was pulled for Locolus to win it is easy to opine where the orders came from. If Daly was guilty Ezell was more so and should have been ruled off with the boy whom he got into trouble. The judges should break up the practice of allowing the shifting of boys in races. With Tuesday's race still fresh in the memory, McCue was allowed to ride Parolee yesterday, while Nick Hall had Ernest L. in the same race.

The first race for maidens had a common lot in with Mr. Corrigan's jumper Special favorite at 2 to 1. When the flag fell Guess and Ongolee rushed to the front and making all the running finished one two. Guess winning by three lengths. Special was third, three lengths back.

The second race at seven furlongs produced in St. Albans the first winning favorite in two days. He was an even-money shot. When the flag fell Clio rushed to the front and opened up a gap of six lengths to the stretch. There he began to tire, and St. Albans, coming from nowhere under the whip, beat him out by two lengths. Pioneer was third, ten lengths back.

The third race at five furlongs brought out eight. Lucy Clark opened at 3 to 1, but was pounded down to 6 to 5 and then receded to 2 to 1 under a plunge on Mamie S. that sent that mare's price from 5 to 3 to 1 at the post. The racing was between the first three. Lucy led into the stretch, where Mamie S. under a drive got up to her and coming on won, whipped out, by a length. Joseph D. was third, ten lengths back.

The fourth race at three-quarters of a mile produced another dead heat, the winner turning up in Sunnybrook, a 15 to 1 shot. Profligate was the favorite and Piantoni rode a bad-looking race on him. Bob Weltbrec shot out when the flag fell and led into the stretch by eight lengths. Then there was a general closing. Weltbrec cracked an eighth out and Sunnybrook, Craft, and Burt drew out, the former winning by a length, the same between second and third.

The summary follows:

First race, for maidens, five furlongs—Guess, 107 (Seibel), 10 to 1, won; Ongolee, 102 (Piantoni), 5 to 2, second; Special, 112 (Hogrefe), 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:04¾. Ginger Mack, 105 (Clayton), 8 to 1; Rosebud, 102 (Chorn), 5 to 1; Bertha Hepburn, 104 (W. Taylor), 30 to 1; Concave, 102 (Fisher), 10 to 1; Dick Cheney, 105 (Kane), 15 to 1; Chicago, 102 (Billings), 20 to 1; and Charlie M., 107 (Oswell), 3 to 1, also ran.

Second race, purse $500, for all ages, seven furlongs—St. Albans, 98 pounds (Piantoni), evens, won; Clio, 114 (Penny), 4 to 1, second; Pioneer, 103 (Baldwin), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:24½. Judge Thurman, 107 (McCue), 15 to 1; Santamego, 95 (E. Taylor), 4 to 1; Tamerlane, 102 (Billings), 40 to 1; and Parthian, 96 (Daly), 40 to 1, also ran.

Third race, purse $350, for all ages, five furlongs—Mamie S., 100 pounds (Ballard), 3 to 1, won; Lucy Clark, 107 (Oswell), 2 to 1, second; Joseph D., 105 (Blair), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:04. Judge Thurman, 105 (Seibel), 15 to 1; Pete Harlan, 102 (Lostee), 15 to 1; Sarazenia, 106 (Piantoni), 8 to 1; Rosa Bird, 100 (Cleveland), 85 (Fisher), 8 to 1, and Bob Fitzsimmons, 90 (W. Taylor), 20 to 1, also ran.

Fourth race, purse $350, for all ages, three-quarters of a mile—Sunnybrook, 100 pounds (McCue), 15 to 1, won; Craft, 97 (E. Taylor), 4 to 1, second; Burt, 97 (W. Taylor), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:17¾. Kangaroo, 100 (Keith), 20 to 1; Speculation, 100 (Fisher), 30 to 1; Jasper, 97 (Chorn), 100 to 1; Bob Weltbrec, 97 (Ballard), 3 to 1; Profligate, 100 (Piantoni), 5 to 2; Ivanhoe II., 97 (Lostee), 30 to 1, and Voici, 97 (Hook), 7 to 1, also ran.

Fifth race, purse $350, for all ages, five furlongs—Bob Lytle, 104 pounds (Ballard), 7 to 1, won; Sea Light, 97 (W. Taylor), 10 to 1, second; Laura K., 95 (Fisher), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:04¼. Parolee, 97 (E. Taylor), 12 to 1; Marcles, 97 (McCue), 3 to 5; Stenling, 105 (Leonard), 6 to 1; Ernest L., 107 (Piantoni), 4 to 1; Tom Stevens, 109 (Seibel), 15 to 1; and Belle Diamond, 105 (Lostee), 10 to 1, also ran.

Today's Hawthorne card is:

First race, five furlongs, purse $400, for all ages, selling—Kismet, 104 pounds; Judge Thurman, 104; Mr. Barnes, 98; Mabel, 86; Davis, 101; Hanky Panky, 101; McGinty (by McFadden), 101; King, 89; Rosebud, 101; Gratico, 101; Spelt, 104.

Second race, seven furlongs, purse $500, a handicap for all ages—Santamego, 91 pounds; Sir George, 113; Monican, 111; Blue Banner, 103; Bob Toombs, 91; Ulster, 101.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile, purse $350, for non-winners since April 1—Hawthorne, 105 pounds; Mabel, 86; Davis, 101; Santamego, 100; Lacinda, 100; Sunday, 106; Shoshone, 105.

Fourth race, one mile, purse $350, for all ages, selling—Grade Crossing, 94 pounds; Vesta Wells, 98; St. Albans, 111; Big Three, 108; Morse, 102; Gilford, 103; Johnny Campbell, 82; Tarquin, 106; First Lap, 105.

Fifth race, five furlongs, purse $400, for all ages, selling—Luke F., 94 pounds; Laura B., 97; Castanet, 100; Clarion, 100; Vanessa, 101; Gracie Lee, 104; Morgan, 104; Viceroy, 100; Vattell, 104; Little Willie, 108; Tom Stevens, 106.

FAVORITES AND SECOND CHOICES.

Not a Single Outsider Reaches the Wire First at Guttenberg.

NEW YORK, May 13.—[Special.]—Favorites had the best of it at Guttenberg today. The sport began with victories for two second choices. The rest of the card was cleaned up by the favorites. The weather was perfect. A gentle breeze tempered the warm rays of the sun and made the day thoroughly delightful. The track was dry and fast, but it was a little too dusty at the turns to be in perfect order.

The summary follows:

First race, for 3-year-olds, selling, five furlongs—Wheelock, 96 pounds (N. Hill), 3 to 1, won; Mary S., 96 (Griffin), 7 to 1, second; Play or Pay, 108 (Snedeker), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:03¾. Hiram, 90 (Keefe), 50 to 1; Lisbon Maid, 95 (J. Lambley), 3 to 1; Lady Ida, 85 (Clay), 150 to 1; and Queen Enid, 96 (H. Lynch), 60 to 1, also ran.

Second race, for 3-year-olds, half a mile—Jennie W., 103 pounds (N. Hill), 13 to 5, won; Dr. Crosby, 108 (Griffin), 4 to 5, second; Eleanor B., 108 (J. Lambley), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:49¾. Florette filly, 113 (Taylor), 5 to 2; Wilkens, 108 (Snedeker), 40 to 1; and Plunger, 108 (H. Jones), 15 to 1, also ran.

Third race, selling, for 3-year-olds and upwards, three-quarters of a mile—Tom Tough, 107 pounds (Clerico), 11 to 5, won; Strathmore, 102 (H. Jones), 8 to 1, second; Dalsyrian, 102 (Griffin), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Poor Jonathan, 107 (F. Doane), 16 to 5; Circular, 102 (J. Lamley), 12 to 1; Kingsclock, 109 (Doggett), 7 to 1; Blue Blood, 105 (Taylor), 20 to 1, and Lawrence, 97 (N. Hill), 50 to 1, also ran.

Fourth race, selling, one mile and an eighth—Jack Rose, 110 pounds (Doggett), 8 to 5, won; Virgie, 100 (H. Jones), 3 to 1, second; Fagot, 104 (F. Doane), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:56½. Joe Kelley, 108 (Taylor), 8 to 1; Jugurtha, 110 (N. Hill), 5 to 1; Frontenac, 110 (Shields), 30 to 1, and Josie Wells, 94 (F. Williams), 100 to 1, also ran.

Fifth race, selling, for 4-year-olds and upward, four and a half furlongs—Oxford, 104 pounds (Griffin) 8 to 5, won; Capt. Wagner, 107 (Clerico), 5 to 1, second; Tom Karl, 104 (F. Doane), 10 to 1, third. Time, 52¾. C. D. L., 107 (N. Hill), 12 to 1; Paragon, 104 (P. Rogers), 10 to 1; May D., 102 (T. Flynn), 60 to 1; Charlie Wilson, 107 (Sweeney), 5 to 1; Elmstone, 100 (H. Jones), 12 to 1; Gladiator, 108 (Snedeker), 15 to 1; Remorse, 110 (Taylor), 5 to 1, and Foxford, 125 (Carail), 15 to 1, also ran.

Sixth race, selling, seven furlongs—Climax, 120 pounds (Carail), 4 to 5, won; Longstride, 124 (Snedeker), 4 to 1, second; Character, 116 (Hueston), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:30½. Salisbury, 116 (Barbee), 7 to 1; Brooklyn, 116 (Griffin), 5 to 1; Happy Maid, 110 (N. Hill), 12 to 1; Aunt Jane, 111 (F. Williams), 60 to 1; McHarrity, 116 (Whitehead), 10 to 1; Prince Howard, 120 (Marshall), 4 to 1; Bonnybell, 116 (Clerico), 15 to 1; Harry Ireland, 116 (Doyle), 20 to 1; and False Id., 114 (Rogers), 6 to 1, also ran.

Saturday's Guttenberg card is:

First race, for maidens, selling, five and a half furlongs—Mashes, 115 pounds; Elizabeth mare, 110; Trophy, 110; Topeka, 109; Pisa colt, 108; Sam Cooper, 108; Strauss, 106; Max, 104; Auburn, 101; Oaklawn, 100; Clement, 100; Control, 94; Hay Tay, 94; Alexander Jr., 94; Gillie, 89.

Second race, 3-year-olds, five furlongs—Julia L., 105 pounds; Wang, 100; Sandowne, 100; Nick, 100; Forget-Me-Not, 95? Miless Silly, 96; Tom Skidmore, 95; Surprise, 90; Our Margie, 90; Marguerite, 90.

Third race, for 2-year-olds, selling, half of a mile—Napoleon, 116 pounds; Larry K., 108; Phaon, 104; Ossie Home, 104; Central Park, 100; Fredericks, 100; Doris gelding, 98; Dr. Crosby, 98; Lady Love, 101; Ed. H., 97; Jennie T., 95; Anxiety Silly, 89; Anna Belle, 89.

Fourth race, handicap, three-quarters of a mile—Blitzen, 118 pounds; Flattery, 114; Sirocco, 112; Logan, 111; Lord Harry, 109; Arrah, 102; Dan Sparrow, 102; Nick, 98; Lizzie, 94; My Gyps, 90; Strathmead, 88.

Fifth race, selling, six and one-half furlongs—My Gyps, 108 pounds; Kirkover, 104; Double Cross, 105; Seven, 105; Firefly, 104; Babtigrian, 103; Innovation, 103; Ben Marche, 101; Hornet, 101; Headlight, 101; Oxford, 99; Polydora, 99; Josie Wells, 96; Pirouette, 94; Belle D., 94.

Sixth race, handicap, one mile and a quarter over five hurdles—My Fellow, 160 pounds; St. Luke, 154; Ecarte, 146; Fat Oakley, 145; St. John, 140; Rockaway, 128; Laudseer, 130; Iliapent, 125.

BROOKLYN HANDICAP WORK.

Mars and Russell Made Good Moves—Lorillard to Rely on Lamplighter.

NEW YORK, May 13.—[Special.]—Only three days more and the Brooklyn Handicap of 1893 will have become a matter of turf history. It is to be hoped that the present superb weather will last over Monday, or, at least, until tomorrow afternoon, so that trainers will be able to give their charges their final gallops. Most of the candidates will be asked the final question between daylight and tomorrow afternoon and then racegoers and horse-owners will know how to prepare for the great battle next Monday. The greatest rumors about Locohatchee are unfortunately true. He has given way in front and it looks very much as if he had broken down permanently. The loss came at an awkward time for Mr. Lorillard, for judged by the way in which the horse galloped at Raceoosa he had a royal chance for the handicap. The stable will now rely on Lamplighter, but he appears to be very much on the big side, and it is doubted whether during the few days intervening he can be rendered fit enough to run in such a bruising race as that of next Monday with a really gilt-edged chance of winning.

The Morris pair, Russell and Mars, worked at Sheepshead Bay this afternoon. They were driven a mile and a half. Mars finished strong in 2:43, and Russell, all out, in 2:43¾. Mars defeated his stable companion by four lengths. Russell is still on the big side and finished tired, but Mars seems to be fully on edge and was not a bit distressed. The mile and a quarter by Russell was in 2:13¼ and by Mars in 2:12. It looked very much as if the stable would have to rely on Mars instead of on Russell, who was the fancied candidate all winter. Judge Morrow worked an easy mile, but none of the other important candidates did any work to speak of. As nearly as the card can be made out at present, the field next Monday will consist of the following horses: Lamplighter, 125; Banquet, 123; Kingston, 122; Judge Morrow, 116; Raceland, 116; Mars, 114; Russell, 112; Diablo, 110; Leonawell, 110; Fidelio, 108; Charade, 105; Pickpocket, 103.

Northwestern Trotting Circuit Classes.

LA CROSSE, Wis., May 12.—[Special.]—A meeting of the Secretaries of the Northwestern Trotting Circuit was held here this afternoon. St. Paul, Oshkosh, Fond du Lac, Augusta, and Rochester were represented. The following class races were arranged:

2:45 class, trotting, purse $400; 2:24, trotting, $500; 2:18, trotting, $600; 2:20, pacing, $500; 2:13, pacing, $600.

Derby day was established for the entire circuit, the feature being a two-mile trotting race of one heat, purse $1,000.

Two new stake races were agreed on, a 2:35 class pacing and 2:29 trotting; purses $800 each.

Schoolbook Wins the Royal Plate.

LONDON, May 12.—The royal plate of 3,000 sovereigns, for 2-year olds, at Kempton Park today, was won by the Duke of Portland's filly Schoolbook, the Duke of Portland's filly Amiable being second, and T. Cannon's filly Melancholy third.

TWO PRIZE FIGHTS NEAR PEORIA, ILL.

Thompson and Welsh Defeat Curley and Keating in the Same Ring.

PEORIA, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—There were two prize fights in an out of town hall early this morning. The first was a ten-round affair between Ed Curley of this city and George Thompson, the Kansas City Kid. The boys weighed in at 123 pounds. In the eighth round Curley threw up the sponge and the fight was awarded the negro. The fight of the evening was between Jack Welsh of this city, who stripped at 155 pounds, and Dick Keating of Indiana, who weighed in at 180. Welsh had things his own way from the start and put Keating to sleep with a left-hander on the jaw in the seventh round. It was one of the best fights seen hereabouts recently.

Saturday's Local Cricket Games.

The Pullman cricketers will start their season today with a match against the Elgin club at Pullman. The visitors have several good players, but are hardly strong enough to cope successfully with the champions.

Married vs. Single is the opening match of the St. George club beginning at 2 p. m. on the Fullerton avenue grounds.

The Wanderers who are looked upon as the probable champions of the year, will begin today with a club match at Thirty-seventh street and Indiana avenue. Play will begin at 2 p. m. sharp.

Yale's Spring Regatta Today.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 12.—[Special.]—All is in readiness for the Yale spring regatta tomorrow. It promises to embrace three attractive features: The varsity and freshmen races with the N. Y. A. C. crew, the usual races for the championship of the university, and the single sculling races for the $500 Gen. Ford cup. Josh Hartwell of last year's varsity crew (Captain) will referee.

Telegraphic Notes of Sport.

MADISON, Wis., May 12.—[Special.]—On account of rain today the University of Wisconsin field day exercises were postponed for one week.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The final bouts in the fencing championship of the United States, under the auspices of the Amateur Fencers' League of America, resulted as follows: Foile—W. E. Breck, Dr. G. M. Hammond, and C. G. Bothner of New York Athletic club. Sabers—Dr. G. M. Hammond and R. O. Hachbold, New York Athletic club. Dueling swords—Dr. G. M. Hammond, A. Z. Post, Fencers' club, and S. L. Shaw, New York Athletic club.

General Sporting Notes.

The gross personality of the late Squire Abingdon turned out to be over $4,000,000.

Jack Daly and Tom Harvey, lightweights, fight before the Crescent club of New Orleans June 8. Both are in active training.

At Tattersall's tonight the Scottish association tug of war team and the Military Tournament team will pull the best two in three for a cup.

Referee John Duffy of New Orleans has closed up his saloon and skipped out, owing several thousands of dollars. He has gone to Columbus, O.

Bob Fitzsimmons has discharged Frank Bosworth, his sparring partner, and taken Denny Butler, late assistant instructor of the New York Athletic club.

Joe Goddard declares that Fitzsimmons promised to fight him six rounds in Chicago. He is shooting for another match with "Denver" Smith or Joe McAuliffe.

Dan Creedon, the Australian middleweight, is nagging Fitzsimmons for a match for $2,500 a side at 158 pounds. After Fitz Creedon wants to fight Hall or Greggains.

At Ives' room tonight a benefit will be tendered to Billiard Expert Sexton. An elaborate program has been prepared including games between the experts now in the city.

Jimmy Ormond, who had Dixon's forfeit of $5,000 for a first with Griffin, has returned it to Tom O'Rourke, stating that he was confident Griffin had no intention of covering it.

The Stanford University Boat club has declined the challenge sent by the University of California for an eight-oared race in October. Stanford claims that other sports will command too much attention next fall.

Bob Cook has commenced coaching the Yale crew. Ives, Gallandet, Folger, Mersiee, Johnson, Goetchil, Paine, and Rogers will probably be the crew. Cook says that there is not the least chance of an international race this year.

Dominick O'Malley, Lyon's backer, wants to make the stakes in the Dawson fight $10,000 a side. As Jerry Daly, Dawson's backer, is willing the match may be made for that stake. Dawson will meet Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia tonight in a four-round go. Ryan leaves for Mount Clemens today.

Local yatchsmen are becoming anxious about their proposed yacht harbor at the south end of the basin. The plans were submitted by Commodore Warrington of the Chicago Yachting Association to Capt. F. M. Symonds, in charge of the Marine Department of Transportation at the Fair some ten days ago, but since then nothing has been heard of the project.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

[NOTE—THE TRIBUNE will not notice anonymous communications, nor decide bets. No manuscripts returned unless proper postage accompanies same. No manuscript will be saved unless called or written for.]

A Deputy Marshal's Experience.

CHICAGO, May 10.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—A few days before the first gun was fired on Fort Sumter I was in Vicksburg, Miss. It was the custom then for the citizens to assemble on the wharf or landing on the arrival of boats going up or down the river. A steamboat whistle could be heard distinctly for miles, and it was a signal for the grand rush to the boat-landing. On this occasion, while following the crowd which was to witness an up-river boat land, I noticed a troop of armed men, probably fifty or sixty in all, marching in two-ranks hastily toward the wharf and through the crowd on to the wharf-boat. On inquiry I was told they were "minute-men," and that they were there for some special business.

I pushed through onto the boat-guard where the line and plank from the steamer was thrown out. At once the order came to "forward," and the company filed over and aboard the steamer and up into the cabin, where I was remained for a short time, returning with a prisoner whom they had rescued from a United States Marshal from Southern Illinois. The prisoner was given his liberty and the United States Marshal was instructed to pursue his homeward journey without delay. The United States Marshal, however, followed his prisoner ashore, holding in his hands his authority and requisition papers, calling upon all loyal citizens present to come to his aid. I read over his papers and found the Marshal was acting under authority from the Governor of Illinois and the Governor of Louisiana. By this time I found myself and the Marshal standing alone, the crowd having dispersed and the prisoner out of sight. The boat had also pulled out and was on its way up the river. While we were thus talking alone a man approached the Marshal and expressed regret that he had not gone with the boat, and also impressed upon him the necessity of his leaving town by 5 o'clock that day if he regarded his own personal safety. He did leave, as directed, and I have never seen or heard of him since, though I would like much to do so if he still lives.

The prisoner was a slave-owner who, having lost a valuable negro, came North to find him; entering a horse-shop in Illinois he saw his "nigger," and packed him to return with him. On a refusal of the slave to return to bondage he shot and killed him, then skipped the town, reaching his Louisiana home to be arrested by the United States Marshal, as above stated. The firing upon Sumter and subsequent exciting events combined to smother the indignity suffered by the United States Marshal and the case never again came up so far as I know. I was not molested for the interest I took in the case and the safety of the Marshal, and I too, soon after, left for home on the "Twins" on their last New Orleans trip. If the reader of this has any information of this case or knowledge of the United States Marshal or the prisoner, it will be greatly appreciated if through THE TRIBUNE it may be laid before its readers. U. S. BOY.

DELBECK WAS SHABBY

HELEN N. WON LOUISVILLE'S STAKE IN RUNAWAY STYLE.

The Quality of the Racing on Churchill Downs Was Shocking, Betting Light, and the Track Bad—A Dog Day at St. Louis—The Hunt and Pony Meet at Washington—Events at Gloucester, San Francisco, and East St. Louis—General Turf Notes.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 12.—[Special.]—A very poor card at best was made little better than a skeleton by scratching so that today's sport was hardly up to the requirements of a country fair. There were only three starters each in the fourth and fifth races, five in the first, and four in the second. The stake, a selling event, had eight starters and a selling plater, Helen N., made a show of the others. There was not a close finish from first to last and the 2,000 people present hardly got the worth of their money.

Helen N. is by Buchanan and is owned by Scoggan Bros. She won two races at Nashville, but came in a bad last in the stake won by Lord Willowbrook. Rambler, a pretty fair performer in Eastern fields, started in the stake and was beaten off, as was also Anna, belonging to Holloway & Murphy. Two O'Clock, a starter in the 2-year-old race, is a full sister to Afternoon, and Capt. Sam Brown, her owner, bet a lot of money on her. She could hardly head a mule, and was beaten nearly a furlong.

The betting was more sluggish than the current of the Chicago River, the business offered not being enough for ten books instead of the thirty now on. The pencilers are kicking both inwardly and outwardly. Jockey Perkins, injured yesterday, is already up and out and wanted to ride today, but was not allowed. The track was heavy from an hour's downpour early this morning. Three favorites won and the stake winner was not run up over her entered price, $1,500.

The summary follows:

First race, five and a half furlongs—Caledonia (Martin), 6 to 5, led from start to finish, and cantered in; Spellbound (Flynn), 2 to 1, beating Ruben Fayne (Hennessy), 5 to 1, a neck; Impostor and Imo. Consenarra unplaced. Time, 1:13¾.

Second race, five furlongs, for 2-year-olds—Heraldin (Washam), 6 to 5, won easily by two lengths after Tremona (Woods) had led two-thirds of the journey; Aileen (T. Brown), 6 to 1, a poor third; Two O'Clock (Fairgood), 3 to 1, was beaten off. Time, 1:06¾.

Third race, the Delbeck Selling Stakes, one mile—Helen N. (Thorpe), 2½ to 1, got away in the lead and staid there, galloping in three lengths before Loudon A. Clayton (Flynn), 2 to 1, beating Ruben Fayne (Hennessy), 5 to 1, a neck; Impostor and Imo. Consenarra unplaced. Time, 1:13¾.

Fourth race, one mile and fifty yards, three starters—Col. S. (Hennessy), 3 to 1, was never headed in the race and won in a canter. The Queen (Blevins), 4 to 5, four lengths before Queen Regent (Flynn), 2½ to 1. Time, 1:51¼.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—Quiver (R. Taylor), 3 to 10, won all the way and walked in; Fringe (A. Clayton), 4 to 1, three lengths before Interior (Bryant), 8 to 1. No other starters. Time, 1:13¾.

The following fine card for tomorrow is in striking contrast to the one run off today:

First race, three-fourths of a mile—Espanita, 86 pounds (Frisby), Paddy Black, 90; Shadow, 90; Gov. Brown, 95; Roslyn, 98; Beatifice, 102; Mabelle, 104; Viola L., 105; Salvation, 107; Somersault, 107.

Second race, seven furlongs, selling—Kentucky Lady, 85 pounds; Ollie Glenn, 99; Connemara, 104; Too Quick, 105; Happiness, 107; Gen. Mitchell, 107; Greenleaf, 109; Capt. Rees, 110; Flower Dells, 112.

Third race, Alexander Stake, 2-year-old colts, five furlongs—Llewelyn, 118 pounds; Segurd, 113; King Charlie, 113; High Test, 113; Fly Jim, 113; Unon, 113; the Pepper entry Warwickshire, 113, and Patria, 118; the Bailey entry Ben Avon, 111, and Pearl Song, 118; the Keegan entry Jim Dillon, 111, and Bonnie Rose, 121; Cedar Brook, 118; McLight, 118; Lazzarone, 118.

Fourth race, half a mile, 2-year-old fillies—Winfred, 110 pounds; Sewing Girl, 110; Alta June, 110; Charmette, 110; Eliza Ann, 110; Thelma, 110; Lavinia B., 110; Sir Lady, 110; Voranda, 110; Duke of Gloucester, 110; Rosamond, 110; Hira Villa, 110; The Midget, 110; Sarah H. C., 110.

Fifth race, one and one-sixteenth miles, handicap—Lady Bess, 98 pounds; Lake Breeze, 100; Sister Mary, 102; Tenny Jr., 103; Clifford, 114.

Sixth race, five furlongs, selling—Interior, 98 pounds; Ragner, 102; Beatifice, 103; Glee Boy, 107; Anna, 107; Michel, 110; Pendleton, 110; Protection, 113.

Tonight's pool quotations were as follows:

First race—Roslyn, $40; Mabelle, $23; Stanbow, $14; Salvation, $14; Beatifice, $13; field, $16.

Second race—Kentucky Lady, $20; Too Quick, $22; Happiness, $21; Capt. Rees, $14; field, 18.

Alexander Stakes—Scoggan entry, $100; Lazarone, $100; McKnight, $42; Bailey's entry, $28; Llewellyn, $26; Pepper entry, $33; Cedar Brook, $21; field, $38.

Fourth race—Rosamond, $25; Charmette, $16; field, $35.

Fifth race—Clifford, $55; Tenny Jr., $25; Sister Mary, $30; field, $17.

Sixth race—$25; Glee Boy, $30; Annor, Michel, $20 each; Protection, $20; Beatifice, $15; field, $17.

ST. LOUIS "DOGS" HAVE THEIR DAY.

Soundmore, Lake Parks, Bonfire, Tartarian, Safe Home, and Edgar Johnson Won.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 12.—[Special.]—It was almost perfect racing weather and the fair grounds track was in fair condition today. Ed Greenwood at 4 to 5 and Lillian at 5 to 2 were the well-played choices in the first race. Soundmore at 10 to 1 won by a nose from Lillian in the prettiest finish of the day. Curl Bros. won $4,500 on Soundmore's victory. Luke Parks, favorite at 6 to 5, took the lead soon after the flag fell in the second race and won easily by two lengths from Barney Aaron Jr. at 10 to 1. Bonfire, favorite in the third race, was moved out in the stretch and won cleverly from L. H., second choice. The talent played Tartarian down from even money to 2 to 1 for the fourth race. Woodruff got five lengths the best of the start, but was overtaken by Tartarian in the stretch, and in a stirring finish the latter won by half a length. Grey Duke at even money and Arthur G. at 3 to 1 were the choices in the fifth race, with Safe Home consistently supported at 4 to 1. Safe Home made all the running and defeated the favorite by a length. Keswood was backed down from even money to 10 to 7 on, with Edgar Johnson heavily supported by the East. St. Louis contingent at 8 to 5 in the last race. It was only too easy for Edgar Johnson, who won by a length and a half from Kenwood, who managed to defeat Newcastle by a short head for second place. The summary follows:

First race, purse $400, six furlongs—Soundmore, 110 pounds (Armstrong), 10 to 1, won; Lillian, 110 (Jordan), 5 to 2, second; Capt. Drane, 108 (Madison), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:18. Ed Greenwood, 109 (Perkinson), 4 to 5; Miss Chance 99 (E. Carr), 15 to 1; Swanee, 108 (Bellairs), 12 to 1; Princess Lorraine, 95 (Richards), 15 to 1; Minnie L., 103 (Barrett), 15 to 1, and Sir William, 108 (Van Kenren), 20 to 1, and See Belle, 91 (C. McDonald), 100 to 1, ran unplaced.

Second race, purse $400, for 2-year-olds, half a mile—Luke Parks, 103 (Jordan), 6 to 5, won; Barney Aaron Jr., 112 (Beach), 10 to 1, second; Dossey Dimmick, 107 (Bellairs), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:04. Malpin, 115 (Magee), 12 to 1; Lady Gay, 100 (F. Carr), 5 to 2; Harry K., 108 (Bellairs), 20 to 1; Billy McKenzie, 98 (Armstrong), 4 to 1; Yolita, 107 (Van Kenren), 50 to 1; Leigh, 112 to 1; Richland, 112 (Larrissey), 40 to 1; Gray Jacket, 115 (Perkinson), 5 to 2; Billy Hartigan, 115 (Seaman), 20 to 1, and Marjory Hilton, 111 (Regan), 4 to 1, ran unplaced.

Third race, selling, purse $400, seven furlongs—Bonfire, 98 pounds (Bellairs), 5 to 1, won; L. H., 99 (F. Carr), 4 to 1, second; Frederick Knox, 95 (J. Smith), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:34¾. Whittier, 92 (F. Leigh), 6 to 1; Tartarian, 105 (Jordan), 50 to 1; Virden, 90 (C. McDonald), 40 to 1; Beeswing, 94 (Berger), 5 to 1; Frank Kills, 87 (Macklin) 10 to 1; Radcliffe, 110 (Maxwell), 20 to 1; and B. G. T., 95 (Richards), 50 to 1, ran unplaced.

Fourth race, selling, purse $400, for 3-year-olds, four and one-half furlongs—Tartarian, 107 pounds (Chamness), 1 to 2, won; Woodruff, 95 (F. Leigh), 8 to 1, second; Audiphone, 86 (L. Soden), 10 to 1, third. Time, 55¾. Willie G., 97 (F. Carr), 15 to 1; Bopeep, 81 (Macklin), 6 to 1; Fatima, 81 (J. Davis), 30 to 1; Sim Jones, 86 (Frazier), 6 to 1, and Lillie T., 99 (C. Hueston), 8 to 1, ran unplaced.

Fifth race, selling, purse $400, seven furlongs—Safe Home, 97 pounds (W. C. Morris), 4 to 1, won; Grey Duke, 105 (R. Jones), even, second; Miss Knott, 88 (Cassin), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:32. Arthur G., 90 (F. Carr), 2 to 1, and Longlight, 95 (Kehoe), 20 to 1, ran unplaced.

Sixth race, selling, purse $400, one mile—Edgar Johnson, 113 pounds (Beach), 8 to 5, won; Kenwood, 104 (Jordan), 7 to 10, second; Newcastle, 97 (F. Carr), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:46¾. San Saba, 96 (Garnier), 8 to 1; Mary Sue, 107 (Mathews), 8 to 1; Blackmer, 104 (J. Rogers), 15 to 1; and Grass Widow, 89 (Van Camp), 50 to 1, ran unplaced.

Saturday's St. Louis entries are:

First race, purse $400, six furlongs—Issie O., 99 pounds; Mary, 103; Bessie Bisland, 111; Esperanza, 113; Julius Sax, 116; Stratton Scott, 114; Duke of Milpitas, 118; Pedestrian, 120.

Second race, 3-year-olds, handicap, purse $500, five furlongs—Gradiola, 107; Hardy, 104; Sir Rose, 102; Goodie, 111; J. W. Brooks, 111; Follow Day, 118; Pop Gray, 125.

Third race, Street Railway Stake, for 3-year-olds and upwards, $1,000 added, beaten allowances, six furlongs (98 subscribers)—Service, 132 pounds; St. Famous, 128 (Lamasney entry); Hedge Rose, 115; The Jewell, 105; Princess Lorraine, 105 (Lorraine stable entry); Pedestrian, 122; Gov. Fifer, 110; White Wings, 117; Bonnie, 104; Gee, Mitchell, 115 (Patton entry); Belle F., 117; Alano, 105; Pennyroyal, 119; Tobe Boile, 110; Tim Murphy, 114; Lord Willowbrook, 122.

Fourth race, selling, purse $400, six furlongs—E. A. Jay, 92 pounds; Irish Fat, 93; John Irwin, 95; Dan Honig, 98; Mary Brown, 95; Jack Murray, 96; Footlight, 96; Express, 88; Miss Frances, 99; See Bell, 100; Leonard, 104; Yollinden, 105; May Belle, 107; Athelbell, 108.

Fifth race, selling, purse $400, six furlongs—Norine, 86 pounds; Katunke, 85; Galen Brown, 88; B. G. T., 90; Hardy, 96; Pattitier, 98; Capt. Jack, 100; Buckhound, 100; Daphne, 101; Julius Sax, 104; Dock Wick, 106; Filmore, 107; State of Texas, 108.

Sixth race, purse $400, six and a half furlongs—Mollie Brown, 90 pounds; Woodruff, 101; Fon Tom, 103; Paul Dombey, 104; Gee, Mitchell, 104; Gibson, 104; Blake, 107; Longlight, 113.

Seventh race, selling, purse $400, one mile—Snarler the Smuggler, 76 pounds; Belfast, 81; Highwayman, 83; Eugenie, 94; Sull Ross, 96; Fildare, 98; Phelan Dorian, 99; Excelsior, 101; Irene H., 101; Coronet, 101; Blaze Duke, 110.

Pools sold tonight on tomorrow's races are as follows:

First race—Esperanza, $30; Issie O., $22; Pedestrian, $16; Bessie Bisland and Duke of Milpitas, $11; Lockwood, $8; field, $23.

Second race—Pop Gray, $150; Followday, $142; Rhett Goode, $40; Ovation, $38; Gladiola, $32; J. W. Brooks, $13.

Third race—Patton's entry, $250; Tim Murphy, Gov. Fifer and Lamasney's entry, $140 each; Lord Willowbrook, $30; Pedestrian and Alano, $20 each; Lorraine entry, $40; Pennyroyal, $38; Tobe Boil, $30; Belle F., $14; White Wings, $12.

Fourth race—Irish Fat, Steve Jerome, Youlinden, and May Belle, $20 each; Dan Honig and Jack Murray, $16 each; Express, $14; Leonard, $12; Jubilee, $9; Miss Francis, $7; field, $10.

Fifth race—Galen Brown and Buckhound, $38 each; Norrines $22; Creede, Filmore, and State of Texas, $20 each; Katrina, $14; Dock Wick, $10; Winona and Dagma, $8 each; Julius Sax, $6; field, $10.

Sixth race—Mollie Bawn and Woodruff, $20 each; Gen. Mitchell, $30; Fon Tom, Paul Dombey, and Gibson, $10 each; Longlight, $6; Blake, $5.

Seventh race—Blaze Duke, $55; Sull Ross, $50; Irene H., $40; Excelsior, $35; Belfast, $13; Eugenie, $10; Coronet, Phelan Dorian, Kildare, and Highwayman, $5 each; Snarler the Smuggler, $3.

RACING HUNTERS AND PONIES.

Second Day of the American Association Meet at Bennings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—There was another good day's sport at Bennings under the auspices of the American Hunt and Pony Racing Association, the favorites having an inning which the talent did not fail to take advantage of. Besides the regular program of six races there was a match race at three furlongs between The Crow of the Montgomery County Hunt club and Freddie Gebhard's Rosarinm, the latter winning handily in 32 seconds.

The summary:

First race Pony Handicap, sweepstakes, $10 each, $125 added, one-half mile on the flat—Bridget 153 pounds (Savage), won; Hyaks, 160 (Maddox), second; Quisante, 130 (Monaco), third. Trump ran unplaced. Time, 55¾.

Second race, Metropolitan Handicap, sweepstakes, 10 each, $100 added, g

STANDS BY IRELAND.

HOUSE OF COMMONS REJECTS A MOTION TO KILL HOME RULE.

By a Large Majority George Bartley's Proposition to Strike Out the First Clause of the Bill Is Defeated in Committee of the Whole—Spanish Republicans Defeated in the Cortes—Cabinet Crisis Imminent—Emperor William Postpones His Junket.

LONDON, May 12.—The House of Commons, sitting as a Committee of the Whole on the home rule bill today, resumed the debate on the motion made yesterday by George Bartley, Conservative, to strike out the first clause of the measure, a motion which practically was marked by several scenes of excitement, the most prominent of which occurred while T. W. Russell had the floor. Mr. Russell, who, though a Liberal, is opposed to home rule for Ireland, was protesting against Ulster being coerced into acquiescing in the establishment of an Irish Parliament when a voice was heard asking: "What the devil are you talking about?" John MacNeil and Thomas Sexton were each accused of making the remark but denied having done so. The Chairman's intervention, on appeal by Sir William Vernon Harcourt, restored order and prevented what promised well for a general squabble. Mr. Bartley's motion was defeated by a vote of 309 against it to 267 for it.

Crops Withering in South of England.

The drought of the last eight weeks has caused a great loss of farm and market-garden products in the South of England. Grain, vegetable, and fruit crops are withering throughout wide strips of country. A plague of caterpillars is destroying the leaves, blossoms, and small fruit in the apple and pear orchards. In Hampshire, Devonshire, and Cornwall streams and wells are drying up and springs are running low.

SPANISH REPUBLICANS DEFEATED.

After 54 Hours of Continuous Session the Government Carries Its Point.

MADRID, May 12.—The counter motion of the Republicans in the Cortes against leaving the government free hand in the matter of the municipal election was rejected by a vote of 126 to 21. The Republican Deputies retired for a few minutes to confer, leaving but two men to watch the government. The original bill postponing the election was at once rushed through the House by the Ministers. The Republican Deputies are said to contemplate resigning in a body from the Cortes.

A ministerial crisis is imminent. At least Señor Gonzales, Minister of the Interior, and Señor Rios, Minister of Justice, will resign. Popular excitement does not abate. Crowds still fill the streets and open spaces near the Parliamentary Building. Scores of policemen constantly on duty in the immediate neighborhood prevent riotous demonstrations by keeping the people moving. The guards in the building have been strengthened today and are in charge of the corridors and lobby up to the doors of the chamber.

WILLIAM'S EXCURSION POSTPONED.

The Emperor Will Take a Holiday When Politics Is in Less Serious Condition.

BERLIN, May 12.—Owing to the critical condition of German politics Emperor William has postponed the excursion which he proposed to take along the Norwegian coast to the North Cape until a more convenient season. Some surprise has been caused by the fact that the anti-Semitic Electors of Arnswalde have again nominated for the Reichstag Rector Ahlwardt, the notorious Jew baiter, who is undergoing imprisonment for libeling the Jewish firm of Loewe & Co.

Emperor William has declared his intention to open in person the new Reichstag. The government is discussing the expediency of proposing a tobacco monopoly as a means of raising the money required by the army bill.

The Social Democrats are conducting an aggressive campaign at Berlin. They are holding six meetings this evening.

It is reported that Freiherr von Huene, Count von Ballestrem, Count von Harbuval, and Calmare, Count Matuschka von Toppelsau, Count Adelmann von Adelmannsfelden, Baron Reitzenstein, Herr von Gliscrapzki, Baron Schalsha, and several other Clerical Deputies who favored the army bill will not seek reelection. The defection has caused serious trouble in the party. To this trouble is attributable the delay in the issuing of the Clerical election manifesto. Prince Bismarck and Ludwig Bamberger have declined to be candidates in the general election. Each gives his advanced age as his reason for retiring.

ANNEXATION SENTIMENT GROWING.

Deputations and Memorials Received by Commissioner Blount at Hawaii.

[Correspondence Associated Press.]
HONOLULU, May 4.
Via SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 12.

The proposition to establish a Hawaiian republic has not been materially promoted during the last week. Wilcox and Col. Volney Ashford have begun a policy of talking, and the boom started by Spreckels has found so little favor with the planters that it has practically come to naught. Spreckels left May 3 for Maui. Nothing has been done in the matter of pensioning the deposed Queen since her salary was stopped by the advisory council two months ago. Several of the council are said to be in favor of granting her a pension of some sort providing she will agree to insist that her supporters shall cease their political work. The Queen is understood to be negotiating for the sale of sugar securities owned by her, and from which she derives a large income.

A convention of the Hawaiian Patriotic League, probably the first of the kind ever held in the islands, assembled May 1. There were about fifty delegates present from all the islands. The object of the convention was to frame a memorial to Commissioner Blount, which should be expressive of the natives' wishes in the matter of government. President Nawahi made a patriotic address, when petitions from the country districts for the perpetuation of the monarchy, opposing annexation, and for the perpetuation of independence were presented, and after some speechmaking a committee was appointed to draw up in secret session a resolution to be presented to the United States Commissioner. The memorial was considered in convention May 2 and a committee, headed by John Richardson, called on Mr. Blount in the afternoon and presented the document to him, making a few remarks as to the wishes of the leagues.

A delegation from the Maui Annexation Club called on Commissioner Blount May 1. In addressing the Commissioner they said that the delegation wished to assure him that the annexation sentiment was growing in favor among the natives as well as the foreigners of the Island of Maui. Commissioner Blount in replying to the address asked the Chairman if, in event of annexation, the natives would expect to become voters, to which the Chairman replied that they would expect it.

In addition to other callers recently Mr. Blount April 27 received members of the Advisory Council, headed by Vice-President Cornwell. Natives of the other islands are exceedingly desirous that the Commissioner should pay them a visit, and it is not to be questioned that his reception by them would exceed that given to any other personage except the Queen. It is thought by many of the people here that the Commissioner will order the American flag hoisted again above the Government Building before he returns home.

The situation here may be summed up in a few words. The provisional government believes itself strong enough to quell any internal disturbance and maintain itself in authority. The Minister of Finance states that funds for carrying on the government are ample. The annexation sentiment is quietly strengthening, but delay in the settlement of the question is telling with effect on business interests that desire to expend or invite capital. Hope is expressed that Congress will not long withhold its decision after the Commissioner's report has been received.

British Minister Wodehouse has written his government asking that the cruiser Champion be allowed to remain on this station until the pending political troubles are settled. He thinks British interests here may need special protection.

The government has lately been revising the libel and treason laws. Councilor Cornwell recently introduced a resolution looking to the final agitation for the restoration of the monarchy, or for any political purpose other than that for which the government had been organized, would come within the meaning of the sedition act passed by these councils Jan. 30. The resolution was finally referred to the executive council.

SPRECKELS' SINCERITY QUESTIONED.

Thought to Be Really Working for a Monarchy or Possibly Annexation.

[Special Correspondence of THE TRIBUNE.]
HONOLULU, May 4.
Via SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 12.

There is a growing doubt throughout the islands of the sincerity of Mr. Spreckels in his efforts towards the establishment of a republic. Many argue that the idea of a republic, with the Kanakas holding the balance of power, is utterly untenable and that if Spreckels is not out for annexation he is, in a left-handed way, working for the restoration of a monarchy. Despite his assurance to the contrary the belief is gaining ground that Spreckels leans towards the crowning of Princess Kaiulani and the revival of the monarchical form of government under a United States protectorate.

BERING SEA ARGUMENTS HEATED.

Sir Charles Russell, Phelps, and Morgan Have a Warm Dispute.

PARIS, May 12.—Sir Charles Russell today continued his address in behalf of the British case before the Bering Sea Tribunal of Arbitration. He discussed the rights of Russia in Bering Sea under the treaties between Russia and the United States and between Russia and Great Britain. Sir Charles contended these treaties recognized merely territorial rights. He went into an analysis of the statutes relating to Bering Sea, and argued that these were territorial in their character and not applicable to foreigners. Sir Charles Russell next referred to the forged interpolations in the American case as originally presented and argued that when the forgeries were extracted from the case nothing remained of the rights claimed to have been derived from Russia.

American Agent John W. Foster explained that the contents of the documents were unknown until the American case was prepared. As soon as the forgery was discovered the documents were withdrawn.

Sir Charles replied that while the documents had been withdrawn the formal case depending on the documents had not been materially changed.

E. J. Phelps of American counsel retorted that the American case had been restated in the counter-case.

The discussion was of an acrid character, the proceedings since Sir Charles Russell began having began characterized by more heat and temper than at any time since the opening of the tribunal.

SALE OF MEISSONIER'S PICTURES.

M. Bague Pays 272,100 Francs for the Gem of the Lot Offered.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

PARIS, May 12.—[Copyright, 1893, by James Gordon Bennett.]—The sale of Meissonier's pictures which were left in his studio at the death of the artist was commenced today. The total receipts were 866,000 francs, the highest prices being paid for "Gravoura à l'Eau Forte," which went to M. Bague for 272,100 francs; "Pont de Poissy," 20,000 francs; "Gentilhomme Louise Treize," 35,000 francs; "Charles I.," 16,000 francs. A fine water color entitled "Charles V." was sold for 2,000 francs. The sale will continue tomorrow and Monday.

On the Coaches.

The Comet today carried a full load to Maisons Laffitte. Eugene Higgins was coachman. He had for passengers Mrs. Sears, who was on the box seat, Mrs. Breeze, T. Jefferson Coolidge, Frederick Baldwin, Hugh Sands, Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer. The Delagardes was coachman of the Rainbow to St. Germain and back. The passengers were Comtesse de Sesmaisons, on the box, Comte de Sesmaisons, Marquis and Marquise de la Roche, Baron and Baronne de Serlay, Comte H. de Montegyard, and Mme. Delagarde. The Magnet made its regular trip to Versailles and back. Charley Howlette was coachman. The passengers were Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cutting and Miss Cutting.

Brilliant Weather at the French Capital.

Brilliant weather was enjoyed all day. The temperature ranged from 46° to 71°; barometer, 30.20; wind, northerly and light.

Soldiers Disperse Viennese Strikers.

VIENNA, May 12.—Four thousand striking skindressers marched to Biehler's factory, where the men who quit work have been replaced with nonunionists. They broke the windows and tried to force the doors. The police were unable to disperse the mob. A company of infantry was called, and after a short fight the soldiers drove off the strikers. Two men were wounded in the fight. Nineteen strikers were arrested.

Storthing Defies King Oscar.

CHRISTIANIA, May 12.—As a sign of defiance to King Oscar and to those who are advising him to coerce the Norwegians by force of arms the radicals in the Norwegian Storthing have introduced a bill in that body providing that the emblem of the union of Sweden and Norway shall be eliminated from the Norwegian flag.

Bishop of Cheyenne Sent to St. Joseph.

ROME, May 12.—The coming consistory will certainly be held the first week in June, and probably five new Cardinals will be named by his Holiness. The Roman Catholic Bishop at Cheyenne, Wyo., has been transferred to the see of St. Joseph, Mo.

Gambling Losses Lead a Prince to Suicide.

MOSCOW, May 12.—Prince Alexandroff, Lieutenant in the Russian army, purposely took an overdose of poison in this city last evening and died soon afterward. He had lost 2,000,000 rubles in gambling.

The Rev. Dr. R. W. McCall Dead.

PARIS, May 12.—The death is announced of the Rev. Dr. R. W. McCall, aged 77, who was identified with the well-known Evangelical mission at Paris founded by him twenty years ago.

Death of Prince George Victor of Wladeck.

BERLIN, May 12.—George Victor, the Sovereign Prince of Wladeck, died today at Marienbad, Bohemia, of pneumonia.

Brevities by Cable.

IMMENSE INCREASE IN BENGAL WHEAT YIELD.

The official estimate of the Bengal wheat crop for the season just closed is 443,243 tons, against 240,930 tons in the previous year.

GEN. DODDS HOME FROM DAHOMEY.

Gen. Dodds, commander of the forces in Dahomey in the recent campaign, has arrived at Marseilles.

MORE EARTHQUAKES IN SICILY.

Palermo, Trapani, and the Island of Ustica yesterday were shaken violently. Many buildings were injured and are likely to fall should the shocks be repeated.

ARCHDUKE JOSEPH AUGUSTIN TO MARRY.

A marriage is reported to have been arranged between Archduke Joseph Augustin of Austria and Princess Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Prince Leopold of Bavaria.

CZAROWITZ TO MEET THE EMPERORS.

The Czarowitz will attend the autumn maneuvers of the Austro-Hungarian army. He will meet Emperor William and Emperor Francis Joseph at Buda Pesth.

DOWAGER QUEEN CRITICALLY ILL.

The Dowager Queen of Portugal, Maria Pia, née Princess of Savoy, is ill of a pulmonary disease at the Quirinal. Her physicians fear the disease will develop into quick consumption.

TO OVERCOME BRITISH INFLUENCE IN MOROCCO.

The Sultan of Morocco will send thirty special missions to several European courts to present gifts and to induce European sovereigns to oppose the influence of their envoys in Morocco to that of Sir West Ridgeway, British envoy.

SOON TO REPORT ON ROME BANK SCANDALS.

The commission appointed to inquire into the bank scandals at Rome will report shortly. Important documents bearing upon the scandals have vanished. The commission learned that nearly all the banks of issue disbursed large sums during the last two general elections.

PULLMAN FAVORS A REORGANIZATION.

He Confers with the President of Reading Regarding His Equipment Rates.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 12.—President George M. Pullman of the Pullman Palace Car company arrived here today from Chicago and this afternoon, with the Vice-President, Gen. Horace Porter, and J. S. Runnells, general counsel for the Pullman company, was in conference with President Joseph S. Harris and Manager J. Lowber Welsh of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad at the general offices of the company. The conference was in regard to Mr. Pullman's holdings of $5,000,000 of 7% per cent Reading equipment notes which the promoters of the rehabilitation plan desired to exchange for securities bearing less interest. The conference lasted for several hours. At its conclusion Mr. Pullman said the meeting had been entirely satisfactory. "I am in hearty sympathy with the Reading railroad," Mr. Pullman said, "and want to see it put upon its feet. The plan proposed to me for the redemption of the equipment notes is a fair one, but I shall consider for several days before giving an answer."

STARTED AT GOTHAM.

DR. GUZMAN'S ASSERTION ANENT THE NICARAGUAN REVOLT.

The Minister Declares Capitalists Interested in the Little Republic Instigated the Uprising, and He Promises to Give Names—Warner Miller Denies the Canal Company Had Anything to Do with It—Secretary Gresham Admits the Affair Is Serious.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—Señor Don Horacio Guzman, the Nicaraguan Minister at Washington, has been the representative of his country to the United States since July, 1887. He is a man of unquestioned standing in the diplomatic corps, a linguist, speaking English as well as he does his native tongue, and well and thoroughly posted on international affairs. Accordingly his statement made last night that the Nicaraguan revolution had been "principally instigated by residents of New York City who possessed large capital and were financially interested in the affairs of Nicaragua," has excited wide attention both in diplomatic circles and elsewhere. The interest is enhanced by Dr. Guzman's promise that he would make public the names of the persons he referred to at a later day.

The charge is of so serious a character that, coming from a diplomat of Dr. Guzman's standing, it will certainly not be allowed to rest. It, of course, involves considerations of an international character as affecting the obligations of Nicaragua held in Europe and many other matters connected with the canal question and international guarantees. Further developments in the matter are looked for with interest. The Nicaraguan Minister was one of the earliest callers at the State Department this morning and had an interview with Secretary Gresham, the result of which has not been disclosed.

According to information received by Minister Guzman a big battle will probably take place today between the opposing forces in his country. Dr. Guzman's information was such it led him to believe the battle would be decisive. He says news of it may be expected within forty-eight hours. Dr. Guzman said he had just received a message from a friend dated at San Juan del Sur in which affairs were reported as directly opposite to the way they were pictured in the message received by Secretary Gresham yesterday from Mr. Newall, the Consul at Managua. So far from the government forces being demoralized this dispatch represented that the army of the government was in good order and would meet the revolutionary forces today in a battle for supremacy.

Newall's Dispatch Old.

With reference to Mr. Newall's dispatch, Dr. Guzman said it was at least five days old when it was transmitted over the cable line from San Juan del Sur, while the message sent from the same place was written and filed there by his friends and bore the marks of freshness.

A telegram was received at the Navy Department today from the commanding officer of the Atlanta, saying it would leave New York for Greytown, Nicaragua, today. When asked what caused the delay in getting the Atlanta ready for sea a naval officer replied: "Navy yard fever" (which is department slang for dislike to give up a soft berth). He added that it was coaled and supplied for a three months' cruise. A dispatch was also received from San Francisco saying the Alliance would be ready to leave for Corinto, Nicaragua, today instead of Saturday. The marked contrast between the promptitude of the Alliance and the unreadiness of the Atlanta excites comment in the department. Secretary Herbert, however, has not had an official opportunity of expressing his views on the subject, inasmuch as he only returned from New York this morning, and, after a brief visit to the department, went over to the White House to the Cabinet meeting.

Secretary Gresham said today he had received no additional information from Nicaragua since yesterday; the situation of affairs in that country was so serious and complicated he begged to be excused from expressing any opinion on the subject.

To Guard American Interests.

The Alliance will probably remain at Corinto long enough only to learn the situation of affairs, and will then continue its cruise southward along the coast so as to be able to guard the interests of Americans in the cities now in possession of the revolutionist party. These possessions embrace nearly all that portion of Nicaragua south of Managua and west of La Nicaragua and including the entire line of the canal west of the lake and the principal portion of the canal from Greytown to the lake.

There was no direct information that the insurgents have attempted to destroy the canal plant or to interfere seriously with the progress of the work. The officers of the Atlanta will make a special investigation on this subject and will see that the canal property is protected.

Señor Roman Mayorga, who was formerly the Secretary of the Nicaraguan legation, is in the city with his wife. He has received dispatches from a member of his wife's family setting forth the results of the revolution practically the same as printed yesterday. Señor Mayorga contradicted the statement of Dr. Guzman that the revolution was incited and supported by New York capitalists. He said the canal project was supported by the revolutionists as well as by the government that had been overthrown; that all Nicaraguans of any prominence, no matter to what party they belonged, realized that the completion of the international canal was their life as a people, and he was greatly surprised at the attitude of the Minister, especially as he had formerly been one of the strongest supporters of the canal.

STATEMENT BY WARNER MILLER.

He Declares the Canal Company Has Nothing to Do with the Revolution.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—President Warner Miller of the Nicaragua Canal company in discussing the disturbances in Nicaragua and the assertions made by Minister Guzman in relation thereto, said today:

I do not know to whom Mr. Guzman refers in his intimations. I cannot be to the canal company, for the reason that no such state of affairs exists between the Nicaragua Canal company and the government. The facts are the canal company has nothing to do with the political situation, and furnished neither arms, ammunition, nor means directly or indirectly to the revolutionists. Not the slightest particle of truthful evidence could be shown that the company had in any way interfered with the affairs in that country. I have no fears regarding the safety of the canal company, which, I believe, will be conserved under all conditions. The treaty of 1867 between the United States and Nicaragua gives this government the power to protect the transit route of the canal. The fighting, moreover, is not within 200 miles of Greytown, where the plant of the canal is located. It is true the revolutionists have seized the steamers belonging to the canal company on Lake Nicaragua, but up to this time they have not disturbed those on the San Juan River. This was to be expected, as the control of Lake Nicaragua is essential to their purpose.

REVOLUTION EXPECTED IN PERU.

Ex-Dictator Pierola Believed to Have Started for There to Stir Up Trouble.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

PANAMA, May 12.—[Copyright, 1893, by James Gordon Bennett.]—Advices from Lima, Peru, say fighting has occurred in the streets of Lima between the followers of ex-Dictator Pierola, the Democratic candidate for President, and Caceres, who is the nominee of the administration, and is known as the official candidate. It is said Caceres has offered to withdraw from the fight if both parties will unite in nominating Dr. Canevero, Minister from Peru to Italy, as the official candidate. It is not probable Pierola's friends will agree to this, and the situation in Peru is therefore grave. Meanwhile ex-Dictator Pierola, who is now an exile from Peru, has been in Panama during the last few months. Without acquainting his most intimate friends at Panama of his intended departure Pierola mysteriously disappeared a few days ago. If he has gone to Peru there is no doubt that a revolution will be started in a few weeks.

Chileans Would Like Egan Recalled.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

VALPARAISO, May 12.—[Copyright, 1893, by James Gordon Bennett.]—An official in the Chilean Foreign Office said today the Chilean Government would deem it a courtesy to this republic if the United States would place the United States Legation in charge of Corvis M. Barre, Consul at Valparaiso, until Minister Porter reaches Santiago.

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OPEN FAIR SUNDAYS.

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been done before, but I do not remember whether or not the directory paid any attention to our changes."

Commissioner J. R. Burton of Kansas said: "It is nonsense, impolitic, and illogical. The directory says the gates shall open, the commission will say that the gates shall not be open. The commission is, I think, in favor of Sunday opening if gone about in a proper manner, but in this case we shall use the utmost power to prevent it. We can close those gates. Col. Rice and Tucker are under Davis, and Davis is under the commission, and the United States is strong enough to enforce the legal findings of its representatives. The directory was simply created to raise the bonus given by Chicago for securing the Fair. We, as government officials, have control. I don't believe there is any distinction between opening the grounds and opening the exhibits. The commission was preparing to adjourn till May 31, but I guess we won't do so now."

Commissioner J. H. Clendening of Arkansas said: "By the terms of the act of Congress creating the commission and providing for the local directory it was stipulated that the rules and regulations should originate from the directory and be subject to the approval or modification by the National Commission. When Congress appropriated $2,500,000 worth of souvenir coins, it also provided that in case the money were accepted the gates should be closed Sunday. It also made it obligatory upon the commission to see that the gates were closed. Now, the National Commission was officially informed that the directory had passed a rule closing the gates. We approved this rule and it so stands. It cannot be abrogated or modified by the Chicago Directory alone. Before the gates at Jackson Park can be opened a regulation to that effect must be approved by fifty-five members or a majority of the commission. To close the exhibit buildings and admit visitors to the park is an indirect means of violating the rule closing the gates. These buildings are so constructed that there are glass windows and doors through which visitors may see exhibits. In my opinion the gates cannot, under any consideration, be legally opened without the consent of a majority of the members of the commission. How the vote of its members would stand I am, of course, not prepared to say."

CAMP TALKS OF AN INJUNCTION.

He Predicts Troublous Times if the Commission Indorses the Walker Resolution.

"You can set it down as a certainty that, if it is officially announced that the gates will be opened a week from Sunday, an injunction restraining the Director General from so doing will be issued before the previous Saturday night," said Director L. N. Camp. "It is said that no Judge would issue such an injunction. I ask if it would not be his plain duty to do so under the law. It is a Judge's business to execute the law and not to say whether the law is just or unjust.

"In the meeting many generous-hearted directors talked at length to the effect that we would pay back to the government the money received, but when I asked for volunteers who would promise to put their hands in their pockets and produce the funds everybody was silent. The simple fact is we haven't got the money, and we can't get it at present. When Congress made the appropriation we were almighty glad to receive it. We weren't entering any protests then. You can't look a gift horse in the mouth. To pay back the money would be the manly course, and the only one worthy of Chicago. But as that is an impossibility the question is settled. I predict that, if the National Commission approves the action of the directory, a situation will be produced the like of which in its complications we have never seen.

"Laying all questions of ethics aside as not pertinent to the subject of the resolution at this stage of the proceedings I held strongly in the meeting to the position that the resolution was a petty subterfuge to evade what is a perfectly well understood matter of law. To open the gates now would be to put a smirch on the Fair. All the world will throw it back in the face of Chicago. It would not even be so bad to come right out flat-footed and say: 'We will open the Fair in the face of the law and defy the acts of those we have solemnly elected to make our laws. In the meeting Mr. Walker read a long-winded argument and quoted learnedly from the dictionary to prove that merely opening the gates and keeping the buildings closed was not opening the Exposition. I argued that the proposition was absurd. The Exposition begins when you have passed the line where the gate money is turned in. When once the great crowds are within the gates a grave difficulty will confront us. The buildings will be entered and we haven't military force enough to keep people out."

E. G. Keith's Objection.

"This is merely the point of the crowbar. It means that the men who want the Fair open Sundays have gained a point and I predict that by July 1 the doors of the buildings will be open Sundays as well as week-days," said Director E. G. Keith. "In voting against the resolution I took the position that we could not vote to open the Fair Sunday unless we returned the money given us by Congress. I said that whatever views I might have on Sunday closing in my opinion the law of the land should be obeyed. Congress gave us $2,500,000 on the express condition that the Fair should be closed one day in the week. To be honest we should return the money before we open the fair.

"The Exposition begins when a man passes the turnstile. The buildings and grounds are all in one lot. It is all Exposition. A man cannot say that the Exposition is closed if the gates to Jackson Park are open. Sec. 4 of the act of Congress making the appropriation provided that no part of the money should be given to us until we agreed to keep the Fair closed on one day of the week. We promised to do this and took the money. If there is any excuse it is in the fact that Congress held back $570,000 of the money. We have no right to annul our agreement until we have returned to Congress every dollar of the money voted to us. This Congressional appropriation was not an exchange, but a gift. This was the position I took in voting against the resolution to open the gates.

"Director Lawson, in casting his vote against the resolution, went into the merits of the question of Sunday being a day of rest. He quoted the rights of mankind to one day of the week for rest from labor and said that the action in closing the gates would be an assault on the rights of the workingman, who is entitled to one day in seven for his rest. Mr. Lawson said that this is a national Exposition, which Congress, on our petition, made national. We were given $2,000,000, with the understanding that the Fair had to be closed one day, and it would be a gross breach of faith on our part and a violation of all laws and rules of equity to open the gates unless the money was returned.

"Director Mark Crawford, in casting his vote against the resolution, said that personally he was in favor of Sunday opening, but that he could not reconcile his idea of what was right and vote to open the gates. The Fair was closed Sunday by law, and it is a violation of the supreme law of the land to go directly against the agreement made with Congress."

Lyman J. Gage Favors It.

"The action of the directors speaks for itself," said Lyman J. Gage. "There was some difference of opinion as to whether Mr. Walker's construction is correct. There was also a difference in the views of the directors upon the question whether, even if the law did not require the gates to be closed, they could or should be opened. If any person wishes to test the legality of the directors' action the board, in postponing the operation of the resolution a week, has given time. I will be extremely glad to have such a test made. There is no disposition on the part of the directors to violate any law, but they think they have the right to a rigid construction and that it is within their province to legislate as to the inclosure itself, leaving in abeyance the question of opening the Exposition.

"The National Commission has authority over the products of land, sea, and the mine, which constitute the Exposition. Congress has put these in their care. I do not think the National Commission has anything to do with the park and grounds. We are lessees from the South Park Commissioners. It was no requirement on the part of Congress that we should build a fence around them. Midway Plaisance is part of the park. It is not under control of the National Commission. The shows upon it are in no sense part of the Exposition. The proprietors cannot be restrained from opening them. The State buildings are also not under the jurisdiction of the National body, but of the States. The foreign buildings are under control of the countries erecting them. Both classes of buildings may be opened Sunday if their owners so elect. In some of the foreign and State buildings representatives of their governments sleep and live. To close the gates would be to deny them access to their homes."

GERMAN NOT BARRED BY BONNEY.

President of the World's Congress Auxiliary Replies to the "Staats Zeitung."

The *Staats Zeitung* of yesterday published an editorial reflecting on C. C. Bonney, President of the World's Congress Auxiliary of the World's Columbian Exposition, and asserting that the official languages used during the congress had been limited to English, French, and Spanish. According to Mr. Bonney, the *Staats Zeitung* is in error.

"The *Staats Zeitung* is laboring under a misapprehension," said Mr. Bonney. "We have never made any discrimination for or against any language. There is not now and never has been any such regulation as the *Staats Zeitung* states. It would be the height of folly for me or any other officer to discriminate against German."

Belgians Visit Pullman.

Senator Vercruisse, President of the Belgian Commission, Commissioner-General Simonis, who is also a Senator, together with the Belgian Minister, Leghait, and several members of the legation, yesterday morning took a trip to Pullman under the guidance of Lambert Tree. Both the Commissioner-General and the President of the commission are large manufacturers and they studied the village from a commercial as well as a purely curious point of view.

Insurance Men to Visit the Fair.

The World's Fair through the Insurance Auxiliary committee yesterday issued an invitation to the Chicago underwriters, general and local agents, and to their friends to attend an inspection of the Columbian Fire Department and the Columbian Guards on the World's Fair grounds at 9 o'clock this morning. The place selected for the examination of the department and the guards is at the west center entrance of the Government Building. The insurance men are to make the journey to the Fair by way of the lake. The fire boat Chicago is to convey those who come from the North and Northwest Sides. It leaves the foot of La Salle street at 8 a. m. A steamer will carry the others. It starts at 8:30 a. m. from the pier at the foot of Van Buren street. Part of the program is the calling out without previous notice of the entire department.

How Commissioners Get Their Per Diem.

The National Commission adopted a resolution yesterday to the effect that when it adjourns it be until 12 o'clock May 31. It is understood that an adjournment will be taken at the close of today's session. In order to enable a number of the Commissioners who wish to remain here to draw their per diem of $5 a day the resolution provided that the members should be assigned to committee work by President Palmer. There are but two committees who have anything to do. One is the Awards committee and the other the Auditing committee. The members of other committees assigned to duty will be simply in the position of drawing $5 a day, with the added privilege of seeing the Fair.

Guards Pay to Get In.

The order issued from the Department of Admissions Thursday ordering gatekeepers to refuse to recognize badges or anything but photographs passes caused considerable trouble at the gates yesterday morning. Many Columbian Guards without photographic passes had to pay 50 cents or be identified by their sergeants. Finally an arrangement was made by which all were admitted. As a result of yesterday's troubles thirteen guards are said to have resigned.

Woman's Board Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—Mrs. Potter Palmer stopped over on her way to Boston today and had a talk with Secretary Carlisle about the expenditures of the Woman's Board. There was some question as to the agency by which some of the expenditures should be made involving the transfer of different funds. Secretary Carlisle promised to straighten the matter out if possible.

Found at the Fair.

Roland McLean and Mrs. Peter McGimbel of Madison, Wis., were arrested in the Manufactures Building at the Fair yesterday and taken to the Central Station, where the woman's husband was waiting for them. He said his wife had left him five days ago. A reconciliation was brought about at the station, and the party returned to Madison last night in company with Sheriff Edmanson.

World's Fair Notes.

The Minnesota Building will be dedicated next Thursday at 2 p. m.

Wheelman's day at the Fair has been set for May 31, the day after the Pullman road race.

The attendance yesterday was 25,639, the record for the same day at the Centennial being 13,402.

ADDRESSES AT SCOTCH-IRISH CONGRESS.

Several Delivered at the Springfield, O., Meeting—Election of Officers.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 12.—[Special.]—When the Scotch-Irish Congress of America met this morning the attendance was augmented by delegations from Florida, Alabama, and Iowa. The most distinguished arrival, however, was the eminent New York divine, Dr. John Hall. The morning session was consumed in addresses by Dr. MacLoskie of Princeton on "Joseph Henry, the American Scientist"; by Dr. Kelly, Nashville, Tenn., on "Naval Heroes of the Scotch-Irish Race," and Henry Wallace of Des Moines on "The General Subject of the Scotch-Irish Race." The first business session was held this afternoon and the following officers elected: President, Robert Bonner; Vice-President, the Rev. Mr. Macintosh, Philadelphia; First Vice-President-at-Large, T. T. Wright, Nashville; Second Vice-President-at-Large, the Rev. Dr. Bryson, Huntsville, Ala.; Secretary, A. C. Floyd, Knoxville, Tenn.; Treasurer, John McIlhenny, Philadelphia. Reports showed about 1,600 members of the society in America. The formal addresses tonight were by Judge John C. Miller of this city on "Scotch-Irish of Clark County," and by Dr. Macintosh on "Francis Mackamie."

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Season Extending from 1st May to 1st October.

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THREATEN TO STRIKE

TELEGRAPHERS OF THE NORTHWESTERN MAY MAKE TROUBLE.

Say the Company Has Given Them the Choice of Leaving the Union or Quitting Its Service—Supt. Lawson Passes a Day in a Watch Tower—He Denies That an Ultimatum Was Issued — Burglar Caught Throwing Goods Out of a Window—Local News.

It is asserted that the officials of the Northwestern railway are preparing for a general strike of railroad telegraph operators. The Order of Railway Telegraphers is meeting in Toronto this week. In the absence of all the officials of the order it is said that the railway company has issued an ultimatum to the men that they must either leave the union or resign. It is said that this was done last Thursday, and that the men have two days in which to decide. The company has employed a number of new operators.

Yesterday morning Assistant Superintendent T. A. Lawson took two men to the North Evanston watch and operating tower and instructed Operators Lewis Kowalk and R. B. Clark to teach them how to manage the tower. The operators promptly refused, demanded their pay, and left the wires in charge of Supt. Lawson and his new men. Lawson remained in the tower in the capacity of operator until evening, when a relief was sent from Chicago. This morning the rest of the operators will decide whether they will remain with the road or stand by the union.

Each operator is thrown upon his own resources in the absence of the union's advisory committee, and whatever they do depends upon circumstances. It is settled that no instructions will be given to inexperienced non-union men. The officials at Toronto have been asked to telegraph in regard to the matter, and their reply will largely shape the result. The operators at Evanston last evening asserted that they were in favor of doing anything in preference to giving up the union.

When Supt. Lawson of the Northwestern railroad was seen he denied without qualification the statement that he had issued any such order or that he expected an answer from the men this morning. Mr. Lawson said it was true that he was putting a number of new operators into service, but this, he said, was because he found it hard to get men fitted for tower-work when he needed them.

"Is it true that you have been notified in any way that they must either withdraw from the union or quit the Northwestern service?"

"It is not. When I employ men I do not ask them anything about the union. I take them to different points for the purpose of showing them how the work is done, and if operators in our employ do not care to instruct these men they must quit our employment. That was my experience today in North Evanston when the men refused to instruct the men I had with me."

The operators insist, however, that the action of the company means that only non-union men are to be employed.

WASHTHROWING THINGS OUTDOORS.

James Harrington Arrested for Burglary by Desplaines Street Officers.

While Officers Quinlan and Fitzgerald of the Desplaines Street Station were patrolling their beat along Washington boulevard at 10 o'clock yesterday morning they saw a bundle of clothes tied in a bedsheet fall to the sidewalk. They looked up to see where the bundle came from and narrowly escaped being struck by a large clock, which fell to the walk with a crash. The timepiece was followed by more clothes. They then ran up to the door of the house, which is occupied by Edgar Johnson and brought Mr. Johnson out. He knew nothing about the matter, but showed the two officers through the house. When they reached the third floor they saw a man busily engaged in throwing articles of clothing out of the window. He gave his name as James Harrington. Yesterday morning he was arraigned before Justice Scully on a charge of burglary, and was held to the Criminal Court in $500 bonds.

KILLED IN A RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

Adam Spies Dies of His Injuries — John Huffman Drowned—Other Accidents.

Adam Spies, a contractor, died at the Alexian Brothers Hospital from concussion of the brain, the result of a runaway accident on Larrabee street last Wednesday. He was 51 years old, and lived at No. 170 Milton avenue.

John Huffman, a carpenter, fell into the river from the Northwestern bridge at Kinzie street and was drowned. Capt. Henderson, the bridge tender, recovered the body.

A Northwestern passenger train yesterday morning killed an Italian laborer near Evanston. He was one of the section hands on the road.

John Reardon's body was taken out of the Chicago River yesterday at the South Halsted street bridge and taken to his home, No. 3265 South Canal street. He had been missing since April 25.

Stanislaus Wilzejnaki died at the County Hospital. He was employed at Hagewisch and was struck by a Monon train May 1.

Frank Fremont, the 14-year-old boy who was caught by a belt Thursday in the works of the Libby Glass company, died yesterday at the County Hospital. The Coroner's jury censured the Libby company for not having taken precautions to protect their employes.

Ransom Rhines, a laborer living at No. 1127 West Huron street, fell backwards from his porch Thursday and was taken to the County Hospital where he died yesterday.

William Kenzel, who was caught between an elevator and a brick wall in a building at Wabash avenue and Monroe street Thursday, died at St. Luke's Hospital yesterday.

William Piter, a bridge builder in the employ of the Hardy Subterannean Scenery company, was knocked from a scaffold, sustaining a fracture of the skull.

While riding horseback on Dearborn avenue near Ontario street yesterday James S. Egan sustained injuries which may prove fatal, by being thrown over the animal's head. The horse slipped and Egan was unseated. He struck on his head on the pavement. Egan lives at No. 624 Larrabee street.

Andrew Keuck, a laborer at the new Art Institute Building on Michigan avenue, was seriously injured by a mortar box falling and striking him on the back.

Joseph Napoli received a fall yesterday that may end fatally. He had just come here from New Orleans and was riding in an express wagon on Clark street. When near Nineteenth street the wagon struck some obstruction and threw Napoli to the pavement.

MORE WIVES THAN THE LAW ALLOWS

Clarence Sutherlin Arrested and Arraigned on a Charge of Bigamy.

Ex-Police Officer Clarence Sutherlin will be given an opportunity before Justice Mahoney this morning to tell why he has two wives. He was arrested yesterday morning on complaint of his wife, charging him with bigamy. Mrs. Sutherlin No. 2, it is said, was formerly Lizzie Piper.

Sutherlin was married to his first wife seven years ago, and they lived together until about two years ago, when, she says, he deserted her. At that time he was a police officer at the Larrabee Street Station. Dec. 16, 1891, it is charged, he was married to Miss Piper in Waukegan, Ill., and brought his wife to live at No. 382 West Fullerton avenue. Two weeks ago wife No. 1 discovered his whereabouts and called upon him. The arrest of Sutherlin followed.

The case was set for yesterday, but was continued until this morning. When the case was called both women appeared with infants in their arms. Mrs. Sutherlin No. 2 has a child three weeks old.

RECEPTION OF THE AMPHION CLUB.

Two Hundred Couples Dance in Apollo Hall—Red Men Give a May Party.

The Amphion, a West Side social club, gave its ninth annual reception last night at Apollo Hall, No. 256 Blue Island avenue. It was the organization's sixtieth party and 200 couples attended it. The grand march was led by Frank P. O'Reilly, Chairman of the Floor committee, and Miss Mamie Ivory. They were assisted in it by F. Burke, Secretary of the club, and Miss Bertha Hanausch.

Logan Tribe No. 47, I. O. R. M., gave a May party last evening at the West Chicago club house. The Grand Sachem and members of Grand Council of Illinois were among those present.

She Ducked Her Admirers.

Mrs. Lillian A. Richardson stood in the prisoner's dock in Justice Kersten's court yesterday, charged with disorderly conduct. According to her testimony she has been greatly annoyed by the attentions of Frank Hindes and Harry Tucker. She lives at No. 351 Wells street. Thursday evening the two men, in company with Charles Schumb, were seated on a railing in front of the house. They were suddenly disturbed, however, by a couple of well-directed buckets of water poured from Mrs. Richardson's window. The men swore out warrants for her arrest. When arraigned yesterday Mrs. Richardson denied throwing the water, but admitted telling her servant to do so. She was discharged with a warning.

Claims He Was Swindled.

Justice Brayton decided yesterday afternoon to hold Philemon L. Austin to the grand jury on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. His wife, Margaret Austin, was acquitted of the same charge. Austin is at liberty under $11,000 bond. Oct. 20 last Austin had an advertisement in a daily paper offering to sell a half interest in a four years' lease of the first floor and basement of the property at Harrison street and Wabash avenue known as the New Orleans Hotel. John Zimmerman, a stockman from Montana, concluded to buy the lease and he says paid Austin $2,000 cash and gave him notes for $5,500. Zimmerman now claims that he was swindled by the misrepresentation.

Funeral of Emma Werner.

The funeral of the 7-year-old child of Carl Werner of No. 405 West North avenue took place yesterday afternoon. The body of little Emma rested in a white casket covered with flowers. About noon the people began to gather and at the time set for the services the streets were impassable for a block in either direction in the neighborhood of the house. The funeral exercises were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Lambrecht, pastor of the Lutheran church at Superior and Noble streets, who spoke in German. The casket was carried by four of her playfellows dressed in white. The pallbearers were: Maggie Mausenbrink, Annie Johnson, Martha Wornhoff, and Lena Witsky. Interment took place in Concordia Cemetery.

Attempted to Rob the Stand.

Four men attempted to raid Peter Dalver's fruit-stand at Halsted and Maxwell streets early last evening, and to that end threw the proprietor into the street. He yelled lustily for help and Frank Elliner, a barber, ran to his assistance. Thereupon one of the crowd drew a revolver and fired at him. The bullet went wide of the mark and struck Ludwig Alexon, a 14-year-old boy, in the left arm, making an ugly wound. He was taken to Dr. Stahl's office, No. 195 Halsted street, where the wound was dressed. After firing the shot the men made good their escape, but Elliner was arrested and locked up at the Maxwell Street Station.

W. H. Chenoweth Company Assigns.

W. H. Chenoweth company, manufacturers of architectural iron at Rockwell and Fillmore streets, made a voluntary assignment in the County Court yesterday afternoon. Samuel S. Warne was appointed assignee, and the assets were scheduled at $24,000, and the liabilities placed at the same amount. The insolvents' attorney said yesterday that the cause of the failure was due to a small amount of capital, and the pressure of creditors to obtain payment of notes given to erect a foundry building costing $16,000. The attorney stated that the dozen or more creditors will receive dollar for dollar.

Charged with Embezzlement and Forgery.

F. M. Hartwell was before Justice Bradwell yesterday morning at the Armory Court charged with embezzlement and forgery. The case was continued till May 17 and the prisoner held in $800 bonds. For some time he has been in the employ as collector of G. Dragorina, a produce commission merchant at No. 237 South Water street, and Mr. Dragorina claims that he has been robbing him. Hartwell collected $80.75, which it is claimed he failed to pay over, but he claims he has receipts showing that he had paid it out for Mr. Dragorina. The receipts are said to be forgeries.

Fined for His Interference.

Justice Severson's court room at the West Chicago Avenue Station yesterday morning was crowded with Salvation Army soldiers who gathered to give testimony against Fred Hachmann, who was arraigned on a charge of disorderly conduct. Bernard Bolger, a lieutenant at the barracks at Johnson and California avenues, stated that he was misused by Hachmann and a number of his friends while he was leaving the meeting Thursday night. He said that he was compelled to seek the protection of Officer Clark. Justice Severson fined Hachmann $3 and costs.

Sends a Juror to Jail.

Judge Dunne yesterday sent a juror, Martin Hogan, to the County Jail for twenty-four hours for contempt of court. Hogan was on a jury which retired to consider a verdict Thursday evening with the understanding that the verdict would be read in the presence of the jury yesterday morning. He failed to put in an appearance until an hour and a half after the court met, thereby delaying business. Said Judge Dunne: "Jurors seem to be of the opinion lately that they can trifle with this court, and restraint is, therefore, made necessary."

French Mind-Reader's Claim.

M. Celestin Newson, a French mind-reader stopping at the Genoa Hotel, claims that he can perform all the feats that made Mind-Reader Bishop famous, and do them in a way that is inexplicable except on the ground of mental impressions. He says that he has no confederates and that he will readily find any unknown object hidden in well-known places. He gave an exhibition of his powers recently at a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henrotin, at which were present several members of the Belgian Commission, and other invited guests.

Came Back Without Hopkins.

Deputy Sheriff F. W. Morrison returned yesterday from New York, where he was sent with a warrant and extradition papers for Seldon B. Hopkins, President of the Money Check company of No. 225 Dearborn street. The strongest laws of New York on the point of extradition and some technicality in the papers made it impossible to secure Hopkins, who was discharged by the New York court. Mr. Morrison on his return was sick and is now confined at his home, No. 486 Hermitage avenue.

Township Board in Trouble.

Lake's Township Board, which for over a month has been trying to find whether it has the right to fix its own salary list, met yesterday afternoon to investigate the condition of things. Several opinions from attorneys defining the powers of the board and all differing were filed. In the meantime Attorney Charles S. Thornton stands ready to carry out his threat to prosecute the members of the board if they persist in appropriating the salaries.

Pulled Down the Wall.

The falling of a part of the wall of the old Union Building at La Salle and Washington streets, which is being razed for the erection of a new structure, caused a crowd to gather at 7 o'clock last evening and a rumor was current that some of the workmen had been buried. It was desired to pull down a part of the flooring of the fourth story. Ropes were attached and down came a section of the floor, bringing with it part of the south wall. The collapse injured no one.

The Nebraska Cowboy Race.

Harvey Wier, Secretary of the Chadron (Neb.) Citizens' committee, having in charge the cowboy race from Chadron to Chicago, writes under date of May 7 to Col. W. F. Cody: "The cowboy race will start June 12. The prize offered by the citizens will be forwarded to you for presentation to the winner in time. There are twenty-one entries and Gov. Crounse will fire the pistol shot, the signal agreed upon for starting. A special prize of a fine gun has been offered."

Chief Swenie Doubts It.

It was rumored yesterday that the pipemen of the Fire Department were going to strike for higher wages. The trouble was said to be that the City Council caused the salaries of the officers to be increased this year, but refused to increase the pay of the pipemen. Chief Swenie said he had heard of no complaint and did not think the men would be foolish enough to go out after the appropriation bill had passed. He had no doubt of the incorrectness of the rumor.

Form a New Law Firm.

A new law firm has been formed to succeed the old firms of Goudy & Green and Willits, Robbins, and Case. A. W. Green, George S. Willits, Henry S. Robbins, and W. W. Case are the members of the new concern. The style of the new firm will be Green, Willits & Robbins, with offices in the Home Insurance Building.

Will Lay the Corner-Stone.

The Congregation Anshe Emeth will lay the corner-stone of its new synagogue, No. 349 Sedgwick street, tomorrow at 2 p. m. President J. Salomon will deliver the opening address, Rabbi A. Lowenstein the sermon, and they will also be addressed by invited rabbis and Israel Cowen and S. Goldman. The stone will be laid with the usual ritualistic ceremonies.

Gave Its May Party.

The Independent Athletic and Pleasure club gave its May party last night at Douglas Hall, Indiana avenue and Thirty-fifth street. One hundred and twenty couples joined in the dances.

Items.

The Illinois Humane Society has removed from its offices in the Auditorium Building to its own building, No. 500 Wabash avenue, near Twelfth street. Telephone main 63.

G. W. Brown made a voluntary assignment in the County Court yesterday to E. A. Filkins.

The opium joint of Guam Lee and Charles Jim was located at No. 1705 instead of No. 3525 Wabash avenue.

William Haynes was fined $5 and costs yesterday morning by Justice Bradwell for running a policy shop at No. 163 Clark street, under the House of David.

John Johnson was yesterday arraigned before Justice Doyle to answer a charge of assaulting 7-year-old Susie Cleanon of 52 West Randolph street. He denied the charge, but Justice Doyle held him to await the action of the grand jury in $200 bonds.

A one-story frame cottage at No. 556 Warren avenue collapsed at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. It had been vacant for the last two years owing to its unsafe condition. The supports, which were cedar posts, had become decayed and were unable to bear the weight.

Prof. W. S. Baxter, who has been at Mount Clemens, is convalescent and his friends expect him to return a week from tomorrow. They are arranging a testimonial concert to be given in Kimball Hall May 16, under the management of Saivini Tomaso and T. C. Newman.

William Woodruff, who holds mortgages on the furniture in the Grand Palace Hotel for $36,000, wants to foreclose. He asked for an order on the receiver for foreclosure. The county receiver was given until this morning to answer. The foreclosure would result in closing the hotel.

Assistant City Engineer Erickson and a party of English capitalists representing London papers took the city tug Van Raalte at the foot of La Salle street yesterday morning for a trip to the crib. The object of the trip was that samples of the city water might be secured to be sent to London for analysis.

Judge Horton entered a rule yesterday on Albert J. Pickett to compel him to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court. Pickett's wife obtained a divorce from him last January and was given $1,000 alimony. Pickett has so far disregarded the order of the court in refusing to pay it. He was married a second time in Milwaukee and is supposed to be somewhere in the Far West.

James Van Fleet was ordered by Justice Stein to appear in court this morning to show why he should not be punished for contempt. Van Fleet was Secretary of the World's Fair Temperance Encampment and was ousted from office and enjoined by the court from receiving any of the company's mail. The contempt charged against him is that of continuing to receive and open mail that belongs to the company.

Frank Smith was held to the Criminal Court in $300 bonds by Justice Doyle yesterday morning on a charge of larceny preferred against him by W. F. Fitstrom, No. 327 West Randolph street. He alleges that Smith was in his employ and that he stole a diamond ring from him which he valued at $150. Smith acknowledged having taken the ring, and said that he had sold it to a pawnbroker at No. 80 South Jefferson street.

The next meeting of the Cook County Teachers' Association will be held at the M. E. Church, corner Washington and Clark streets, today at 10:30 a. m. A paper will be read by Supt. C. P. Gilbert of St. Paul. Subject: "Reconstruction of the Grammar School Course." This is the last meeting of the association year. In the afternoon at 1:30 o'clock an experience meeting will be held. Subject: "Methods in Language Teaching."

Charles Howe, a young man 19 years of age, living with his mother at No. 6723 Barry avenue, has had an ambition to be a detective, and with that in view has frequently importuned Chief McClaughry to attach him to the secret service. Yesterday he told several people he was working on the Tascott and other cases. He became so demonstrative that he was finally arrested and sent to the Detention Hospital to have his sanity investigated.

Albert Roy was found guilty of burglary yesterday by a jury in Judge Windes' court and sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary. He was arrested by Officer Muller of the East Chicago avenue station the evening of March 5 while attempting to enter the residence of J. V. Clarke Jr., President of the Hibernian National Bank, Huron and Rush streets. Roy had succeeded in opening a window and was about to step in from the roof of a porch when he was arrested.

MORE FOREST FIRES IN NEW JERSEY.

Hundreds of Acres of Timber and Three Houses Burned.

TOMS RIVER, N. J., May 12.—Forest fires have covered all the eastern end of Berkeley Township for the last three days, burning hundreds of acres of oak, pine, and cedar timber, many valuable cranberry bogs, and three houses. The fire is supposed to have started from a New Jersey Central railroad engine Tuesday.

HILLSBORO, Ill., May 12.—[Special.]—The residence of H. A. Best, near Nokomis, was totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss, $6,000; insurance, $3,000.

CHANGE OF TIME ON THE WABASH R. R.

Sunday, May 14th.

Trains will leave Chicago, Dearborn Station, Polk and Dearborn streets, as follows:

8:25 a. m., daily, Peoria, Decatur, and St. Louis Local Express.

10:33 a. m., daily, except Sunday, St. Louis Fast Line Limited.

2:32 p. m., daily, except Sunday, Peoria, Decatur, Springfield, Hannibal, and Kansas City Express.

4:35 p. m., daily, Forest and Peoria Accommodation.

9:00 p. m., daily, Peoria, Decatur, Springfield, Quincy, and St. Louis Night Express.

DETROIT, NIAGARA FALLS, AND CANADIAN TRAINS.

8:30 a. m., daily, except Sunday, Chicago and Detroit Local.

3:30 p. m., daily, Detroit, Montreal, Niagara Falls, New York, and Boston Vestibuled Limited.

10:30 p. m., daily, Detroit, Toronto, Niagara Falls, New York, and Boston Night Express.

10:50 a. m., daily, Detroit, Niagara Falls, New York, and Boston Fast Line.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

World's Fair Open This Evening—World's Fair Special Trains.

CENTRAL I. C. R. R. ROUTE

On this date World's Fair special trains will run continuously during the day and evening every ten minutes, between Van Buren and Sixtieth streets. Last train will leave Sixtieth street returning at 11 o'clock.

Regarding the Report of the National Commissioners.

We notice from the report given in full of the National committee's investigation on the subject of music at the Columbian Exposition that these gentlemen labor under the impression that the Mason and Risch vocalion placed in the Woman's Building is the product of a non-exhibiting firm. As we are the agents for the above house and know that they were amongst the earliest applicants for space in the musical department, and that immediately after their application they commenced building a number of organs for the exhibit, which are now actually in place in the Liberal Arts Building, we take this means of bringing these facts to the knowledge of the commission, and at the same time place before the public the ex parte manner in which the evidence in the case appears to have been taken. Lyon, Potter & Co.

White Mountains and Portland.

The Michican Central, the "Niagara Falls Route," will inaugurate its through sleeping car service to Portland through the White Mountains Saturday, May 13, on and after which date buffet sleeping car will leave Chicago daily except Friday on the Atlantic Express at 11:45 p. m. from the new Central Station on the Lake Front and Park Row.

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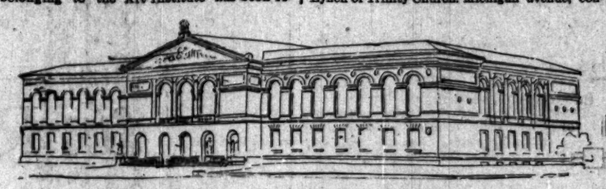
INFORMAL RECEPTION AT CHICAGO'S NEW ART INSTITUTE.

Members and Their Friends Roam Through the Spacious Corridors and Inpect the Statuary and Paintings Now on Exhibition—Permanent Arrangement of the Works of Art Not to Be Made Until the Close of the World's Fair—What the Building Cost.

The doors of the new Art Institute on the Lake Front were thrown open yesterday afternoon, and with no more ceremony than an informal reception to members of the institute and their friends the beautiful art palace was declared practically ready to add its share to education and culture. There yet remain many finishing touches to be given the exterior and interior of the building, but most of these deficiencies were not visible to the majority of visitors. They came in carriages and from 2 o'clock until 10 in the evening inspected and admired the building and the treasures it contains. The entire collection belonging to the Art Institute has been removed to the building. The statuary has been placed, the pictures hung, and the articles of vertu arranged through the rooms and corridors. The arrangement is only temporary, for the World's Columbian Exposition will use large portions of the building for the next six months, and the Art Institute will not obtain complete control of all the rooms until fall.



THE NEW ART INSTITUTE BUILDING.

The effectiveness with which the art collection was displayed bore out the claim made all along that the plan adopted for the building would secure conditions for display such as many galleries do not possess. The building has a frontage of 320 feet on Michigan avenue and a depth of 175 feet. Ultimately the building will describe a parallelogram in the center of which will be two courts. Now only the front and the north and south wings are completed. Between the two wings is erected the auditorium which will be used by the World's Congress Auxiliary.

The main entrance is in the center of the Michigan avenue front. A visitor mounts an easy flight of steps 120 feet wide to reach the lofty doorway. Two great lions by Kemys will flank the steps. They have been donated by Mrs. Henry Field. Two figures will be placed on either side at the top of the steps.

Chastely Classic.

The chaste classic plainness of the exterior of the building is continued within in materials lighter in color, where stone is used. A visitor steps over the threshold into a broad, lofty lobby, from either side of which stretch long, high rooms, which will become the depositories of the institute's statuary collection. The walls and columns in the entrance hall are of pink Tennessee marble. The marble shades from a pearl gray to a delicate pink. From either end of the west side of the lobby spring branches of a marble staircase whose balustrades are ornamental iron. The pinkish colored walls of the lobby form a fine background for the statuary which is placed there temporarily.

The works shown yesterday comprised a copy of Canova's "Venus," "A Lost Pleiad," presented by Mrs. E. S. Stickney, copies of Michael Angelo's "Prisoner," Donatello's "St. George," an antique Apollo and Venus, and a bronze bust of the late John W. Root. There are fifteen rooms on the first floor, all opening from a corridor which is continued around the building nearest the court. On the second story there are nineteen rooms, opening from the corridor.

The scheme of decoration of the rooms and the corridor is simple. The walls are maroon and crimson and the ornamentation is contributed by the pictures themselves. In the corridor are the suits of armor owned by the institute, the carved furniture and glass cases containing more delicate articles. Pictures were hung in all the rooms. The institute will not attempt a systematic plan of hanging until the World's Fair is over. Probably the corridors will continue to be used for works other than pictorial.

Light comes through clouded glass roofs. Yesterday, despite the murky sky, every picture showed to advantage. There are no projections to throw shadows over the paintings.

On the northwest and south sides of the building on the second floor are loggias. The spandrels on the north side represent music, painting, and architecture. They are the work of Martiny. The panels are taken from the frieze of the Parthenon.

Improvements and Additions.

The class-rooms of the school of the Art Institute will be located in the basement of the building. The upper stories contain room for an art collection of large proportions. The Art Institute will make some additions of great importance to its collection. One will be a collection of several thousand carbon prints made by the house of Braun & Co. of Paris. The prints are reproductions of famous sculpture and paintings ancient and modern. No other art institution possesses a similar collection. The prints will probably not be framed, but will form an addition to the library. The institute will also receive a large accession from the World's Fair art exhibit. Of the Trocadero collection of casts a selection worth $50,000 will be made. It will be placed in the court under a glazed roof.

The World's Columbian Exposition made a contribution of $200,000 to the building fund of the Art Institute on condition that it should cost at least $500,000. The Art Institute realized $365,000 by the sale of its old building to the Chicago club, and the last annual report of the trustees stated they had obtained by private subscription $120,000 more and were confident that a greater sum could be raised if needed. The building will cost over $600,000 when finished.

The ground occupied is given by the city on consideration that the ownership of the building be vested in the city—terms similar to those agreed upon between the Metropolitan Museum and the City of New York when the former's building was placed in Central Park. The Art Institute is to use and occupy the building under the conditions that it shall open the museum free of charge to the public from 9 to 5 every Wednesday and Saturday and legal holidays, and from 1 to 5 every Sunday, admit free all teachers of public schools and other free schools in Chicago, make a regular annual financial report to the City of Chicago, give three months' notice of intention to move, keep the building in repair, and shall make the Mayor and Controller ex-officio members of the Board of Trustees.

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DEATH OF DR. J. A. KENNICOTT.

One of Chicago's Pioneer Dentists Yields to the Ravages of Disease.

Dr. J. A. Kennicott, one of the oldest dentists in the city, died at his home, No. 4302 Madison avenue, at 9:15 o'clock last night after a short illness of the stomach. He leaves a wife, Marie Antoinette Kennicott and three children—Mrs. Frederic Grant Gleason, Mrs. T. F. Reid, and Miss Ada Kennicott. Dr. Kennicott was born at Albion, N. Y., in 1824. In 1853 he settled at what is now Kenwood and named the suburb after the name of his mother's family. He is a graduate of Rush Medical College and in 1853 was given the degree of D. D. S. by the Ohio Dental College for valuable contributions to dental science. His business life with a short time in Milwaukee has been spent in Chicago.

Funeral of Ernest Meyer to Occur Today.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 12.—The funeral services of Ernest Meyer of Calhoun County will occur here tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock and will be conducted by Chaplain Hawkins of the House. The committees from the Senate and House are: Senators Higbee, Noonan, Mancoke, Hunt, and Humphrey; Representatives Rottger, O'Donnell, Ferns, Ambrosius, Dow, Ramey, and Snedeker. After the services the remains will be taken to Mr. Meyer's old home in Calhoun County for burial.

Funeral of James W. Toner.

The funeral of James W. Toner was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence, No. 2837 Indiana avenue. The Rev. F. Lynch of Trinity Church, Michigan avenue, conducted the services. Dr. David Swing delivered the funeral address. The Rev. F. Gunsaulus of the Plymouth Congregational Church also spoke a few words and read a prayer. The deceased was a member of the Lake Side Lodge, A. F. and A. M., members of which assisted as pall-bearers. They were John Campbell, James Rolston, Charles Patsch, Thomas A. Brown, A. M. Davis, J. P. Thomas, Edward Addy, and E. Von Herman. The remains were interred at Oakwoods Cemetery.

Col. A. S. Bement, Lansing, Mich.

LANSING, Mich., May 12.—[Special.]—Col. Augustus S. Bement of E. Bement and Sons, manufacturers of stoves and agricultural implements, and uncle of Mayor Arthur O. Bement of this city, died of heart disease while on his way home from the works this evening. He was a brother of the late E. Bement, founder of the extensive institution, and was 65 years old.

Capt. Samuel Shannon, Duluth, Minn.

DULUTH, Minn., May 12.—Capt. Samuel Shannon, one of the best known navigators on the great lakes, died here this morning of pneumonia. Capt. Shannon came here three years ago, after thirty years' service as a master of the Erie line of steamers, and was one of the leading vessel agents here.

Dr. Charles Carroll Lee, New York.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Dr. Charles Carroll Lee, President of the Medical Society of the County of New York, is dead. Dr. Lee was a grandson of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—Weather forecast for Saturday:

For Illinois, fair, warmer, northwest winds.

For Indiana, fair Saturday, slightly warmer, west and northwest winds.

For Upper Michigan and Lower Michigan, showers, variable winds.

For Wisconsin, generally fair, slightly warmer, northwest winds.

Place of observation.	Height of barometer.	Thermometer.	Mean temperature.	Direction of wind.	State of weather.	Precipitation in 24 hours.
Abilene	29.96	74	78	S. E.	Fair	.....
Bismarck, N. D.	29.76	72	74	E.	Fair	.....
Boston, Mass.	29.92	66	78	S.	Fair	.....
Buffalo, N. Y.	29.98	62	68	E.	Cl'udy	.13
Cairo, Ill.	29.90	74	81	S. W.	Clear	.....
Charleston, S. C.	29.86	68	78	S. W.	Fair	.....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	29.80	52	66	S. W.	Fair	.....
Chicago	29.90	59	62	W.	Cl'udy	.02
Cincinnati, O.	29.76	63	72	S. W.	Cl'udy	.10
Cleveland, O.	29.76	62	68	S. E.	Fair	.10
Davenport, Ia.	29.66	56	66	N. W.	Fair	.....
Denver, Colo.	29.84	76	82	N. E.	Clear	.....
Des Moines, Ia.	29.76	62	72	S. W.	Fair	.....
Detroit, Mich.	29.64	58	64	W.	Fair	.08
Dodge City, Kas.	29.82	78	84	S.	Fair	.....
Duluth, Minn.	29.68	52	58	N. W.	Cl'udy	.02
El Paso	29.94	60	68	E.	Rain	.30
Erie, Pa.	29.74	60	68	S.	Clear	.16
Galveston, Tex.	29.88	76	84	S.	Fair	.....
G'dHaven, Mich	29.56	42	54	S. W.	Rain	.26
Green Bay, Wis.	29.54	52	54	N. W.	Cl'udy	.20
Helena, Mont.	29.90	68	74	W.	Clear	.....
Huron, S. D.	29.80	70	74	N. W.	Clear	.....
Indianap'lis, Ind.	29.74	60	72	W.	Rain	.01
Jacksonville	29.90	70	80	S. E.	Clear	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	29.84	76	80	N.	Clear	.....
Knoxville	29.86	68	74	W.	Fair	.02
La Crosse, Wis.	29.68	52	56	W.	Cl'udy	.06
Little Rock, Ark.	29.90	76	80	W.	Clear	.....
Louisville, Ky.	29.76	68	74	S. W.	Cl'udy	Trace
Manistee, Mich.	29.54	46	52	S. W.	Rain	.34
Marquette, Mich	29.52	40	52	W.	Rain	.08
Memphis, Tenn.	29.90	74	80	N. W.	Clear	.....
Miles City	29.88	62	66	N. W.	Clear	.....
Milwaukee	29.84	52	58	W.	Rain	.01
Minnedosa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montreal	29.76	72	84	S. E.	Clear	.....
Moorehead	29.90	50	56	N. W.	Cl'udy	.....
New Orleans, La.	29.94	80	82	S. E.	Fair	.....
New York City	29.86	60	74	S. E.	Clear	.....
Omaha, Neb.	29.82	74	82	S. W.	Clear	.....
Oswego, N. Y.	29.80	50	54	W.	Clear	.....
Palestine	29.94	76	84	S. W.	Clear	.....
Pierre, S. D.	29.82	76	78	E.	Clear	.....
Pittsburg	29.82	62	72	S.	Clear	.14
Port Huron	29.86	58	68	S. E.	Clear	.16
Pueblo	29.82	76	84	S. E.	Cl'udy	.....
Rapid City	29.80	76	78	S.	Fair	.....
St. Louis	29.76	72	78	W.	Clear	.....
St. Paul	29.74	50	62	N. W.	Cl'udy	.04
Salt Lake City	29.86	74	78	N. W.	Fair	.....
Santa Fe	29.92	62	68	S.	Cl'udy	.....
Sioux City	29.78	70	74	N. W.	Clear	.....
Springfield, Ill.	29.72	66	70	W.	Cl'udy	.....
Springfield, Mo.	29.86	70	76	W.	Clear	.....
Toledo, O.	29.66	66	66	W.	Cl'udy	.01

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature yesterday, as observed by Manasse, optician, Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 62 degrees above zero; 10 a. m., 63; 11 a. m., 65; 12 m., 66; 1 p. m., 63; 3 p. m., 59; 6 p. m., 59. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.30; 6 p. m., 29.30.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

NEW YORK—Arrived—Augusta Victoria, from Hamburg.
PHILADELPHIA—Arrived—Minnesota, from London.
BREMERHAVEN—Arrived—Aller, from New York.
QUEENSTOWN—Arrived—Campania, from New York.
LIVERPOOL—Arrived—Cambroman, from Boston.
HAMBURG—Arrived—Fuerst Bismarck, from New York.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

THE COUNTY CLERK ISSUED PERMITS TO WED to the following couples yesterday, the parties living in

DINNER AND MUSICAL.

MR. AND MRS. CHATFIELD-TAYLOR ENTERTAIN FOREIGN GUESTS.

The Duke and Duchess of Veragua, M. and Mme. Dupuy de Lome, and Ernst Von Hesse-Wartegg Among Those Present—Mrs. Dudley Winston Assists in Receiving—Lady Aberdeen Talks at the Columbus and Fortnightly Clubs of Irish Peasantry and Their Work.

Mr. and Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor, No. 99 Pearson street, gave a dinner last evening, followed later by a musical under the direction of Burr McIntosh. At the dinner covers were laid for fourteen, and those present were:

The Duke and Duchess of Veragua, the Marquis of Barboles, Mrs. Watson Blair, Miss Fearn, the Marquis of Villalobar, M. and Mme. Dupuy de Lome, Ernst von Hesse-Wartegg, Miss Bryan, Miss Perrine, Hubert Vas.

The guests for the evening were invited at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Dudley Winston assisted in receiving. Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor wore a gown of pink and white striped satin with a bodice of pink mousselin de soie, and her ornaments were diamonds. Mrs. Winston wore pink satin trimmed with black velvet and short black tips on the shoulders. She wore diamonds. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caton, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Willits, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ely, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Birch, Miss Hurst, Col. Huntington Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henrotin, Miss Cameron, Miss Hosmer, Walter Fearn, Percy Fearn, Raimond Le Ghait, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Eddy, Norman Williams, Miss Williams, Prince Roland Bonaparte, Baron Fallen, Hereditary Prince of Isenberg, Ralph Harbard, Sir Henry Wood, Miss Erskine, Mrs. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Burke, Miss Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lathrop, Owen Aldis, Mrs. Wirt Dexter, Samuel Dexter, Miss Keep, Frederick Keep.

VERAGUA VISITS THE STOCK-YARDS.

He Goes Through the Various Departments of the Armour Establishment.

The Duke of Veragua went yesterday through the establishment of the P. D. Armour company at the Stock-Yards, with J. Evans as guide. The pig slaughtering department was in working order, but there were no cattle marked for execution. Speaking of the killing of pigs the Duke said that he could not have thought such rapid operations possible if he had not been an eye witness. The butterine manufactory was another revelation to the Spanish party, chiefly on account of the large scale of the operations. From the butterine factory the Duke and his friends proceeded to the Armour Institute, which they admired greatly.

TO AID IRISH INDUSTRIES.

Lady Aberdeen Appeals to the Women of Chicago at the Columbus Club.

Lady Aberdeen met about 100 ladies yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Columbus club, No. 119 La Salle street. They were assembled for the purpose of hearing the Countess speak on the needs of the women and girls of Ireland and to assist her in making a success of a concert and entertainment to be given at Central Music Hall next Tuesday for the benefit of the Irish industries at the Fair. Lady Aberdeen spoke for nearly half an hour and made an earnest appeal on behalf of the women and girls from across the water. She said she hoped that the ladies in this country would use their influence to secure a market here for the sale of crochet work and laces of Ireland and other products of recently established industries. She told of the inception and present management of the Irish village, and said it was the aim of the present agitation to increase the market for the goods manufactured by the Irishwomen in order that the trade might become more stable. The Irish village, she said, had been projected for the purpose of advertising the goods, and she suggested to the women present that they might help the work along in a substantial manner by asking for the goods in the large stores. At the conclusion of her address she invited the ladies present to view some specimens of lace work made by Irish girls, and an informal reception followed. Among those present were:

Mrs. T. F. Judge, Miss Marion Mulligan, Miss Alice Garner, Mrs. William J. Hynes, Mrs. Thomas W. Sennett, Miss Lecky, Mrs. Arthur Dixon, the Misses Dixon, Mrs. T. J. Healy, the Misses Healy, Mrs. D. F. Bremner, Mrs. P. A. Moran, the Misses Moran, Mrs. Thomas Galvin, Mrs. T. Sullivan, Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. J. S. Sheahan, Mrs. P. T. Barry, the Misses Barry, Miss Lizzie Hartney, Mrs. Mary A. Miller, Mrs. Gen. George W. Smith, Miss Josephine McDonald, Mrs. J. J. Egan, Mrs. E. J. Monahan, Mrs. Mary J. Onahan, Miss Rebecca Gallery, Mrs. M. P. S. Thomas, Mrs. E. F. Dore, Mrs. Mary A. Miller, Miss Heaney, Mrs. A. W. Green, Miss Walsh.

The committee in charge of the arrangements said satisfactory progress was being made and that there is no doubt there will be a large attendance. All the boxes have been already taken and more than half the seats have been sold. The charge is merely nominal. Tickets can be obtained at Central Music Hall, Charles MacDonald's, Lyon & Healy's, and at George W. Hill's book store, Monroe street and Michigan avenue, and from the steward of the Columbus club.

The Fortnightly gave an informal reception to the Countess of Aberdeen yesterday at 3 p. m. in the banquet hall of the Richelieu. The President, Mrs. B. F. Ayer, introduced the Countess, who made an address upon the question of the Irish interests, the purpose of the village at the World's Fair, and the great need of aiding and instructing the peasantry of Ireland. At the conclusion she displayed numerous specimens of lace made by the Irish women.

FOR HER GUEST, MISS KELLEY.

Mrs. Joseph Kirkland Gives a Reception at Her Home, No. 161 Rush Street.

Mrs. Joseph Kirkland, No. 161 Rush street, gave a reception yesterday afternoon for her guest, Miss Kelley. Those who assisted were Mrs. Dudley Wilkinson, Mrs. Edward Hosmer, Mrs. Thomas Groner, Miss Kirkland, and Miss Ethel Kirkland. Refreshments were served in the dining-room. One hundred guests were present, among whom were:

Mme. Olivera, Mrs. Flower, Mrs. Carleton, Mrs. Noyes, Mrs. McClurg, Miss Kerfoot, Mrs. A. F. Eddy, Mrs. Alexander Stevenson, Mrs. George High, Miss Arnold, Mrs. Edward S. Worthington, Miss Scudder, Mrs. B. F. Ayers, Mrs. Hjorberg, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. West, Mrs. J. V. Farwell, Mrs. W. K. Nixon, Mrs. George Higginson, Mrs. Franklin Beckwith, Mrs. Frank Hunn, Mrs. John W. Ela, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Matz, Mrs. Joseph Coleman, Miss Matz, Mrs. Henry Greenebaum, Mrs. Dunlap Smith, Mrs. Henry Mason, Mrs. John M. Jewett, Mrs. James McKay, Mrs. McMurray, Mrs. Magruder, Mrs. Sisson Thompson, Miss Mary Hays, and Mrs. John Mason Loomis.

Eugene Field the Guest.

Eugene Field was the guest last evening at a reception given to the friends of the Phi Delta Theta College fraternity at the Evanston club by Curtis H. Reomy. Mr. Field read a number of selections from his poems to over 200 members, alumni, and visitors. The refreshments were served in the reception room.

ROBBERS BLOW OPEN AN EXPRESS CAR.

Two Masked Men Hold Up a Passenger Train on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

CAIRO, Ill., May 12.—As the north-bound passenger train on the Mobile and Ohio railway stopped at Oakton, Ky., to take water at 10 o'clock last night two masked men approached the engine. Covering the engineer and fireman with revolvers they compelled them to get off the engine and go with them to the express car, where they commanded the express messengers, S. H. Ray and H. C. Peatson, his assistant, to open the door of the express car. This the messengers refused to do, and began hiding the contents of the safe and valuables. The messengers were informed that if they did not open the car it would be blown open with dynamite. They refused a second time, when a charge of dynamite went off, blowing a hole inside of the car. One of the robbers put his gun in and demanded that the door be opened. Under promise of not being hurt the messengers opened the door and the robbers secured everything in the safe, left the car, and escaped. The amount stolen is not over $1,000. None of the passengers were molested. Detectives are at work on the case.

Class Honors at Yale for '93.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 12.—It is said to be definitely settled that the valedictory at the Yale commencement this year will go to Reynolds Summerfield Dwight, son of President Dwight, will be the salutatorian.

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CONVENTION OF SOUTHERN BAPTISTS.

Reports of the Year Showed Creditable Work in the Various Districts.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 12.—[Special.]—When the Southern Baptist convention was called to order today there were nearly 1,000 of the 1,600 accredited delegates present. Judge Jonathan Haralson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama, was elected today for the fifth time to the Presidency of the convention. The Vice-Presidents elected were Gov. W. J. Northen of Georgia, Joshua Levering of Maryland, Dr. W. H. Whitsett of Kentucky, and Dr. S. H. Ford of Missouri. The Secretaries chosen were: Lansing Burrows of Georgia and Dr. Oliver Gregory of Maryland. It is evident that a reduction in the representation of the different States is necessary, and a special committee was appointed to report as to the matter. Bishop Fitzgerald of the Southern Methodist Church made a fraternal address. A letter from the Northern Baptist convention expressing thanks for the good work of Southern Baptists among the Germans of Missouri was read and a petition from the Eastern Oregon Baptists for admission was presented. An address of welcome by Dr. Frost of Tennessee was responded to by Dr. McDonald of Georgia. Robert Burdette, the famous humorist, also spoke. At the afternoon session reports of the home and foreign mission and Sunday-school boards were read.

The Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary of the Southern Baptist convention, began its session today. Mrs. G. A. Lofton of Nashville delivered the address of welcome, the response to which was made by Miss E. S. Broadus of Kentucky. Miss F. Heck, the President, delivered the annual address. Reports were made by Miss Moore of China and Miss Brunson, formerly of Japan. The collections during the year were $250,000.

TO RAISE AND CAN FRUITS IN FLORIDA.

Director-General Davis and Other Chicago Capitalists Form a Company.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 12.—[Special.]—Col. George R. Davis of Chicago, Director-General of the World's Columbian Exposition, has become President of a company formed for raising pineapples and other fruits and canning them for the market. Its capital is $50,000, all of which has been paid in. The other officers and members of the company are: Vice-President and Manager, George B. Swift; Secretary and Treasurer, Judge D. F. Flannery; W. D. Kent, Judge E. W. Burke, John L. Flannery, John Spry, A. F. Doremus, all prominent business and professional men of Chicago. For their enterprise Mr. Swift has purchased 320 acres of fruit land on the west side of Lake Worth, and a force of men will at once begin clearing the land for the immediate planting this summer of 120,000 Ripley pines, 100,000 assorted vines of the choicest of imported varieties, and 2,500 assorted tropical trees. Only the finest varieties will be planted and the company will have at least thirty acres in the ground the present season. An irrigating plant is now being put in and the factory building will be commenced at once.

WILL PAY NO INTERIM DIVIDENDS.

Important Circular Issued by the Pillsbury-Washburn Flour Mill Company.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 12.—[Special.]—The Pillsbury-Washburn Flour Mills company has issued a circular saying: "In view of the continued decline in the value of wheat, together with the very unsettled state of the wheat and flour markets, the directors have decided not to pay any interim dividend on the preference and ordinary shares this half year, but they have every reason to hope that at the end of the financial year they will be able to pay a dividend of 5 per cent on the preference shares. The volume of business has been fully maintained. The debenture interest due May 1 will be paid in due course."

Catholic Knights in Session.

When the Catholic Knights of America met yesterday they went into Committee of the Whole, Judge William J. Kelly of Minnesota read the report from the Committee on Laws. It recommended that the funds of the order be invested by the supreme officers in United States bonds or other collateral security or deposited in banks. The committee recommended that the O'Brien case be turned over to the Supreme Council, with instructions to refer it to the supreme officers with power to act. It was decided that the officers should push the prosecution of the case. The council indorsed the action of the Committee of the Whole. The President announced that he had membership cards for all the delegates to the Columbus club, good until Oct. 1. Among amendments adopted in Committee of the Whole was one that an extra session of the council must be called by the Supreme President on call of two-thirds of the State Presidents.

Other Lynchers Had Preceded Them.

RICHMOND, Va., May 12.—[Special.]—A crowd of Masons who were attending a celebration at Wytheville last night went to Marion prepared to lynch a young negro in jail there for assaulting the wife of S. F. Atkins, a member of the Masonic Order. When they got there citizens of the town had already attended to the job.

Statement of the Bank of Montreal.

MONTREAL, Que., May 12.—[Special.]—The financial statement of the Bank of Montreal for the year ending April 30 was issued today, showing earnings of over 11 per cent on a capital of $12,000,000. Profits for the year were $1,325,810.30. Two dividends of 5 per cent each were paid, amounting to $1,200,000.

Evansville (Ind.) Carpenters May Strike.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., May 12.—[Special.]—A committee from the union carpenters waited on the planing-mill bosses today and notified them that unless they accede to the machine and bench hands' demands by Monday the carpenters will be called out of five mills.

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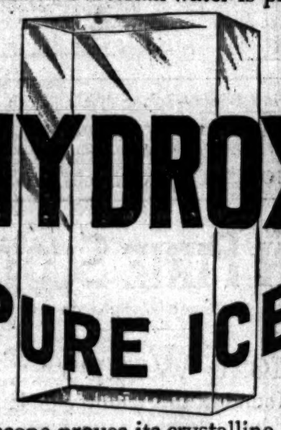

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STERLING, Ill., April 25.

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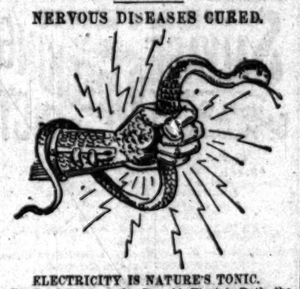

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Postscript:

The new Washable Suits—"Middies," "Sailors," "Juniors"—are in.

New Straw Hats are coming in every day.

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The quick transfer of an enormous stock of Fine China and Glass to our new and beautifully appointed store at 145 and 147 State street (between Madison and Monroe) has for the past few days seriously interfered with the expeditious and correct transaction of our business.

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SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1893—SIXTEEN PAGES.

MANY IN THE PLOT.

Six at Least Concerned in the Explosion at Muscatine.

GUNPOWDER WAS USED.

Cans Identified in the Wreckage of Three Homes.

NO ARRESTS YET MADE.

Police Are Watching Certain Suspects Among Residents.

REWARDS MAY REACH $10,000.

MUSCATINE, Ia., May 12.—[Special.]—Excitement and indignation are still at fever heat here over the attempted murders, involving the wreckage of three homes, by an explosive now known to have been gunpowder. The fact that the men whose death was sought are the leading promoters of prohibition has aggravated the hostility to the saloon element. The families of John Mahin, E. M. Kessinger, and N. Rosenberger are still housed in the homes of friends. No arrests have been made. From police headquarters this morning a still hunt was instituted for the plotters, and during the day two detectives arrived in town to supplement the efforts of the city officers.

The joint subscriptions of citizens and the

EXTERIOR OF MAHIN RESIDENCE AFTER THE EXPLOSION.

Board of County Commissioners, amounting to $7,000, is causing redoubled industry on the part of those who have the police work in charge. Judges Wolf and Brannan of the District Court are seriously contemplating the summoning of the grand jury in the hopes that it may throw some light on the mysterious occurrence. Judge Wolf, who has been holding court here for the last week and adjourned yesterday on account of the happenings of the night before, reconvened court this morning and proceeded at once to the equity cases, praying for injunctions against the Muscatine saloons. Four injunctions were granted Wednesday just before the explosion and four others were granted today against J. O'Callahan, Hans Mohnson, Joseph Quinn, and Robert Welch. In each case an injunction was also served against the owner of the building in which the saloon was running. These saloons were closed at once. There are twenty-five other saloons in Muscatine and against each is an equity suit for injunction. All of them are to come up for trial in the course of a few days and prominent people say that the excitement aroused by the attempts at murder Wednesday night will insure the closing of all of the saloons for the present at least. Saloonkeepers themselves expect this. Some of them subscribed liberally to the citizens' fund last night.

The Governor was asked tonight to offer a reward on behalf of the State for the apprehension of the miscreants. The City Council has also been petitioned by citizens generally to add a sum to the general offer of reward, which it is hoped by tomorrow will reach $10,000. Much excitement was caused here tonight by the report from John Schell, who lives across the river, that his brother conveyed three men across the Illinois bottoms in his wagon Wednesday night to the high bridge approach. At 11 o'clock last night some one came in a skiff and took three men from a barn, rowing them to the "Dug" road. They then started on foot across the bottoms toward the bluffs. This clew is being investigated.

The crowds of curious spectators around the three ruined houses have not diminished. The havoc wrought by the exploding powder under Attorney Rosenberger's home was complete. The injury done to Editor Mahin's residence amounted to almost utter ruin. The thick walled brick house of Mr. Kessinger did not suffer so severely, but it will need to be entirely rebuilt. In these three houses when the fearful explosions occurred were twelve women and children asleep, in addition to the men at whom the attempt was directed. The escape of those helpless ones, in view of the wrecked houses, appears more miraculous as time passes and newer features of the attempt at destruction are discovered. It was today determined to the satisfaction of the police that the explosive used in the destruction was not dynamite but gunpowder. Torn bits of a can have been found in the cellars of each of the demolished houses and have been identified as pieces of twenty-five-pound powder cans, one of them at least having upon it the name of the American Powder company of Boston. One can had been placed in each cellar. It is clear they had been first placed in large coffee sacks and had apparently been dropped in from rear windows, with the fuse lighted.

About two weeks ago Moris & Co., gunsmiths, had eight twenty-five-pound cans of powder stolen from their powder-house just across the river from Muscatine. That powder bore the same brand as the twisted pieces of tin in Mr. Mahin's cellar. The police are now assured that no less than six or seven men were engaged in the plot and its execution. They are confident that some one of these will make indiscreet remarks and add strength to the suspicions which are already hanging over the heads of some of Muscatine's citizens. The officers are watching carefully the movements of certain persons, and agree with Judge Bannin in the opinion that the guilty men will be caught. A letter was sent today by T. N. Brown, cashier of the First National Bank, to various leading newspapers of the State, call-

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RESIDENCE OF ATTORNEY ROSENBERGER.

INTERIOR OF E. M. KESSENGER'S HOUSE.

killed in front of his parents' residence at 820 West Madison street by a grip car. The verdict recommended that the gripmen on the Madison street car-line be placed in front of the grip car instead of the center so that their view will not be obstructed on either side, to avoid future accidents. The testimony showed that the little fellow being so small could not be seen when near the car from where the gripman stood.

LAUGHS AT THE LAW.

GROVER CARES LITTLE FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE STATUTE.

Official Heads of Republicans Are Falling Merrily, While Mugwump Reformers Fume and Fret and Democrats Smile—Disappointment in Store for Raab and Wiwi—Heavy Decrease Reported in the Value of Breadstuff Exports—Decision in Favor of Chicago Liquor Importers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—Civil service reformers are having a sad time of it. They applauded the President's order closing the White House to office-seekers. Now they are beginning to find out what this order meant. It simply enables the President to work twice as fast in replacing Republicans with Democrats. The members of the Cabinet are also beginning to show what it has been possible for them to do since the President several weeks ago closed their departments to the office-seekers on Cabinet days. There is hardly a Republican chief of division left under Secretary Smith in the Interior Department. The South is hungry, and Secretary Smith is doing his best to appease its appetite. It should be said in fairness that he has asked the bureau chiefs to resign because they are Republicans, and has made no hypocritical pretense in doing it.

In the Treasury Department Secretary Carlisle has called for resignation after resignation on the same ground. The civil service reformers are protesting, but Mr. Carlisle sneers at their protests. Something of a bother has been raised because A. T. Sturtevant, Chief of the Stationery Division, who has been in the Treasury for thirty-two years and who had no politics, was forced to resign. Mr. Carl Schurs and other eminent civil service reformers are protesting with all their might, but to no purpose. Carlisle wants Sturtevant's place just as he wants the place of other chiefs of divisions, in order that they may be filled by Democrats, and he sees no reason for making an exception in the case of a chief who has no politics.

Over in the War Department Secretary Dan Lamont is ready for a shake-up which will oust a good many Republicans and put Democrats in their places. Unfortunately the same fairness will not be shown that is shown in the Interior and Treasury Departments. Perhaps, in order to quiet the qualms of the mugwump civil-service reformers, President Cleveland will issue another proclamation sneering at the office-seekers. Then he can go ahead and provide for a few thousand more of them.

ILLINOISANS EXERTING PRESSURE.

Binns and Others Would Like to See Revenue Appointments Made.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—Congressman McDonald was around today trying to have the administration "get a move" on the Internal Revenue Collectorship of the Springfield District. He is pressing the claim of Ed Binns very vigorously. He was assured that the administration intends to move so that Democratic collectors will be able to take hold July 1, but there are some districts in other States which the President has to pass on before getting around to Illinois. When he does reach the Prairie State the Springfield District is likely to be the first one filled. State Superintendent Raab will not be able to get the Frankfort Consulate, and Representative Wiwi, who was a candidate for the same place, will find no encouragement in the statement that Raab's ambition will be disappointed. Wiwi will not get it either. The Southern Illinois folks are kicking pretty vigorously because Chicago has already received three Consulates and they have not got anything.

DECIDED IN FAVOR OF CHICAGOANS.

Ruling in a Liquor Case That Will Be of Interest to Importers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—Assistant Secretary Hamlin has taken a more liberal view of the law than heretofore held in assessing duties on casks of liquor which have become depleted during the voyage of importation. A case in point was decided yesterday. Several casks of wine were imported by a Chicago firm and when they arrived were found to be empty. The evidence was to the effect that the vessel in which the wine was transported experienced severe weather. The law, however, make no allowance for breakage or leakage. But as the duties must be assessed on the gauger's returns, and as in this case there were no liquids to gauge, Assistant Secretary Hamlin decided that the duty assessed at New York on the wines imported be remitted.

SECRETARY LAMONT MAKES A MOVE.

Officers on Leave and on Special Assignments to Rejoin Their Regiments.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—Secretary Lamont says he is against granting officers long leaves of absence for the purpose of engaging in private enterprises. But it is not the leave men only whom he is after. Officers who have been on special duty a long time and others who were given special assignments by Mr. Elkins during the last days of his administration are the persons affected. The ax fell today in the following cases and more are promised at an early date:

Capt. A. Hodberg, Fifteenth Infantry, who had so much trouble with his regiment at Fort Sheridan, and detailed about a year ago to special recruiting service in Chicago so as to prevent further trouble at the post; Capt. J. A. Fessenden, Fifth Artillery, on special recruiting duty in New York; Capt. C. S. Barbank, Tenth Infantry, and Capt. E. S. Godfrey, Seventh Cavalry, on special recruiting service in this city; Capt. J. C. Chance, Thirteenth Infantry, on duty in Pittsburg; Lieut. J. B. Bellinger, Fifth Cavalry, on duty in New York City; Capt. W. L. Finley, Ninth Cavalry, Chattanooga, Tenn.; and Capt. R. H. Ketchum, Twenty-second Infantry, New York City.

MAXWELL OVERWORKS THE AX.

Numbers of Republican Postmasters Dismissed Solely for Political Reasons.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—[Special.]—It was a pretty good day for Headsman Maxwell in the way of removals. Nearly half the fourth-class Postmasters he appointed took the places of Republican Postmasters, who were bounced without having served four years. Fourth-class Postmasters were appointed today in the West as follows:

Illinois—Trenton, William Schaeffer. Indiana—Granger, F. E. Lowry; Russell's Mills, Charles Barker. Iowa—Brush Creek, G. A. Dorfler; Hitman, William Morrissey; Popejoy, J. W. Finch; Ringgold, T. J. Ireland; Steamboat Rock, Walter Neeson; Webster, Sophia J. Lommer. Michigan—Harbor Springs, A. J. Southard; Sanford, W. H. Peck. Nebraska—Lodge Pole, J. F. Crane; Sumner, J. M. Frantz. Ohio—Brier Hill, Henry Moore; Croastown, W. N. Stewart; Galena, C. A. Mitchell; Harlem, E. J. Park; Licking Valley, Marian Redman; Kennard, J. S. Maher; Long Bottom, H. A. Swan; Lynx, Thomas Hoyalip; Sherwood, James W. Huff; Vinyard Mill, John Kennedy; Westville, J. P. Bull. Wisconsin—Belleplaine, William Martin; Woodland, N. O. Peters; Mills Center, W. W. Wilson.

The President today appointed the following named Postmasters:

Seymour Hurst, Marshall, Ill., vice William B. Hodge, commission expires; George W. Van Horne, Muscatine, Ia., vice John Mahin, removed; George W. Killmer, Argentine, Kas., vice D. G. Bliss, deceased; Adolphus E. Gordon, Warren, Minn., vice J. E. Easton, commission expired; Michael T. Brady, Winnebago City, Minn., vice John H. Welch, commission expired; William H. Weigel, Creighton, Neb., vice George L. Jameson, deceased; Alvah W. Loomis, Fairmount, Neb., vice Clark Robinson, resigned; Jere Donovan, Geneva, Neb., vice William H. Stewart, resigned; Charles W. Hoffman, Genoa, Neb., vice Hiram Lewis, resigned; Pierre Sanders, Sidney, Neb., vice O. D. Lyon, resigned; William H. Dolan, Wymore, Neb., vice John W. Haas, resigned; John Stratton, Auburndale, O., vice A. B. Mason, removed.

VARIOUS NOTES FROM WASHINGTON.

Heavy Decrease Reported in the Value of Exports of Breadstuffs.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—The Bureau of Statistics gives a comparative statement of the total values of the exports of breadstuffs, as follows: For the month ended April 30, 1893, $12,621,-153, a decrease of $6,500,000 from the corresponding period of 1892. For the four months ended April 30 last, $33,036,325, a decrease of $15,000,000 from the same period of last year. For the ten months ended April 30 last, $127,653,913, a decrease of $25,000,000 from the corresponding period of 1892.

Tributes to Dead Railway Clerks.

Special official announcement was made by Postmaster-General Bissell today of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railway accident the 7th inst. at Lafayette, Ind., in which Alfred R. Chadwick, Jesse H. Long, and Charles H. Myers, clerks in the railway post-office, were killed at their post of duty. Their death is greatly deplored and Mr. Bissell regrets that he is not clothed with authority to extend to the bereaved relatives a more substantial and meritorious recognition of the faithful and courageous services rendered by the victims.

Navajo Troubles Averted.

The threatened trouble at the Navajo Indian agency has been averted through the friendly disposition of Chief Blackhorse, who has undertaken to deliver up the Indians who murdered Ranchman Welsh several weeks ago. Gen. McCook makes positive denial of the report that Lieut. Plummer had been killed by the Navajos.

Visitors from Joliet.

Warden Allen and Commissioners Durfee and Heenan of the Joliet penitentiary were here today. They have been visiting the various penitentiaries in the East, studying the contract labor system. The results of their observations will be made known after they get back to Illinois.

Capital Briefs.

Secretary Carlisle today appointed Charles W. Osenton of West Virginia Chief of Division in the Sixth Auditor's office.

In the Department of Agriculture P. L. Lyles of Missouri was today appointed Chief Clerk in the Bureau of Animal Industry.

The applications of Spruille Baden of Helena, Mont., for Director of the Mint, and of S. W. Cartwright of Circleville, O., for Register of the Treasury, have been filed in the Department.

Mr. Edward O. Leech, Director of the Mint, today handed in his resignation to the President, to take effect the end of this month. Mr. Leech resigns to accept the position of cashier of the National Union Bank of New York.

The services of William T. Sullivan, post-office inspector of St. Louis on money order service, have been discontinued owing to the insufficiency of the appropriation. It is understood that ten or twelve others will be dropped from the rolls next week.

A meeting of the Board on Life-Saving Appliances has been set for May 23 at Boston, to consider the merits of any life-saving invention for use from shore sally, and if any device be found useful in saving life the board will recommend it to the government for adoption.

THEY ARE CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.

Many Presbyterian Women Here for the Coming National Council.

Representative women from all over the world are at the Palmer, guests of the National Council of Women of the United States. Yesterday morning Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. May Wright Sewall, and Mrs. Rachel Foster Avery came to the city and work was commenced in earnest on the preliminaries for the Congress of Representative Women to be held in the Art Palace next Monday.

"Delegates are arriving every day," said Miss Anthony. "Our congress will be a marvelous success and I wish to say now that all the people whose names we are announcing will take part in our work here. This congress will be in earnest and the women who are here have come to Chicago with the idea of doing all in their power to advance the interests of the women of the world."

Mrs. Sewall says that the women are enjoying the time they have here apart from that taken up by their work and that they will see all of the Fair that is possible. The women who are at the Palmer are:

Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. May Wright Sewall, Mrs. Rachel Avery Foster, Dr. Emily Howard Stowe, Mrs. John Harvit of America, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Tiller of Canada, Miss Jane Cobden, Miss Florence Frederick Miller, Mario Fischer, Lette and Laura Ormiston Chant of England, Elizabeth Rasolowsky, Augusta Forster, Kaethe Schirmacher, Agnes Burchard, Annette Hamlock Schepel of Germany, Kirstine Frederiksen, Nico Beck Meyer, and Frederrikke Olesen of Denmark, Hulda Lundin, Sigrid Starkenfeldt, and the Baroness Thorborg Rappe of Sweden, Margaret Windeyer of Australia, Mori Topoolius and Edea Nordquist of Finland, Callirhoe Parren of Greece, Signorita C. de Alcala of Spain, and Josefa Humpal Zeman of Bohemia.

Prince Roland Bonaparte moved again yesterday. He came to town Thursday morning and registered at the Auditorium. After remaining there for a few hours he moved to the Richelieu, at $70 a day for a suite of apartments. Yesterday he moved to the Leland. The Prince is a stalwart six-footer, of soldierly grave countenance. He said he was delighted with all he had seen during his two-weeks' trip. He came to Chicago from San Francisco and will remain here for ten days, and then go to Canada for several weeks.

"I intend seeing the most of the Exposition possible in that time," he said. "The weather has been too bad the last two days to give much enjoyment to sightseeing."

The down-town hotels are already feeling the stimulating effect of the Exposition travel. All report a large amount of additional patronage, and a tendency to crowd. For several nights all the rooms have been taken. The quartering at the down-town hotels of Commissioners and exhibiters has in a great measure brought about this.

The New York detachment of hotel men left for home last night at 8:30 on a special train, returning over the Michigan Central railroad. The Boston delegation will remain at the Park Gate at sixty-third street, until Monday night.

Senator Wolcott of Colorada, Senator Stockbridge of Michigan, and Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin are guests of the Richelieu. The Colorada Senator visited the Fair yesterday, and believes that the architecture there will never be surpassed.

L. Michelet, Brazilian World's Fair Commissioner; Jesse Seligman, the New York banker, and President T. W. Palmer of the World's Columbian Commission, are among the guests at the Lakota.

Lieut. Charles B. Schofield of the United States Army, on the staff of his brother, Gen. Schofield, is at the Leland.

A. A. Stevens of Pennsylvania, Chairman of the last National Prohibition convention, is at the Sherman.

Adjutant-General Hastings of Pennsylvania, is at the Auditorium.

Palmer House—David Hart, New York; Rudolph Wieser, City of Mexico; W. Fliedner and wife, Portland, Ore.; Howard Saxby, Cincinnati; C. A. Weatherby, New York; J. E. Riordan, New York; W. H. Lynn, Minneapolis; J. B. Ballard, Temple, Miss.; W. H. Bickers and wife, Lexington; W. C. Sterling, Monroe, Mich.; Max Kahn, New York; Frank Lewis, Springfield; J. A. Field, Bismarck, N. D.; Susan B. Anthony, Rochester; Mrs. May Wright-Sewell, Indianapolis; Mrs. Rachel Foster Avery, Philadelphia.

Auditorium—D. H. Bidwell, New York; A. J. Johnson, Cleveland; E. W. Goetz, Toledo; W. Linn, Manchester, N. H.; L. K. Greene, Boston; H. A. Calvin and wife, Kingston, Canada; Henry T. Rogers, Denver; E. R. Weeks, Kansas City; H. K. Cole, Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Temple, Minneapolis; Miss Vera Greenhut, Peoria; Charles F. Miller, Lancaster, Pa.

Great Northern—E. P. Elliott and wife, Boston; Miss J. V. Reynolds, New York; G. M. Myers, Kansas City; W. H. Hadley, St. Louis; Mr. Mayer, New York; J. Strauss, Cincinnati; C. G. Ring, Saginaw; J. F. Ishmat, Toledo; Roy Hoffman, Guthrie, Ok.; M. Davidson, New York; H. Brockbank, Didsbury; A. M. Roberts, H. W. Roberts, Manchester, Eng.

Grand Pacific—A. C. Baxter, Lima; J. H. Hall, Peoria; C. G. Knox, St. Louis; G. D. Roper, Rockford; George Shinta, Noblesville; R. McGovern, Seattle; A. J. Hughes, Denver; John M. Harrison, St. Louis; J. A. Williamson, Washington, D. C.

Victoria—A. J. Whiteman, Duluth; W. R. Kennedy, Dansville; J. S. Sherwood, Lafayette; D. G. Holland, Saginaw; Frederick Dodd, New York; John F. Eddy, Bay City; W. A. Mitchell, Indianapolis; H. F. Long, Minneapolis.

Richelieu—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolcott, Colorado; James Macfarlane, Glasgow; N. R. and T. D. Wetmore, Boston; Prince Roland Bonaparte and suite, Paris; Mrs. W. L. Elkins Jr., Philadelphia.

Leland—Noble R. Streeter, New York; L. J. Adams, Battleboro, Vt.; D. R. Tisdale, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Charles O'Day and wife, Buffalo; C. J. Ryerson, Jackson, Mich.

Wellington—J. H. McCall, Nebraska; E. C. Camp, Knoxville, Tenn.; C. E. Bochman, F. S. Tracked, Des Moines; E. C. Hovey, Boston; A. H. Logan, Oshkosh.

Metropole—Eugine de Zelenboff, Russia; Edson Fitch and Mrs. Fitch, Quebec; Miss Nellie Night, Portland.

WORK FOR THE NEEDY

PHILANTHROPIC EFFORTS OF BRITISH WOMEN ILLUSTRATED.

The Baroness Burdett-Coutts, at the Request of Her Royal Highness Princess Christian, to Make a Full Exhibit of the Self-Sacrificing Labors of Her Countrywomen—Reports Secured from Many Organizations in England and Ireland—Undertakings of the Baroness Herself.

At the request of her Royal Highness Princess Christian the Baroness Burdett-Coutts undertook in the spring of 1892 to prepare a report and exhibit illustrating the philanthropic work of British women for the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Columbian Exposition. The task was one surrounded with many difficulties. Not only is philanthropy in many of its most useful and noble forms impossible to illustrate, but the subject is one of such vast proportions that it would require some years instead of months, and a machinery such as no private individual could command, to collect materials for a complete and exhaustive record of what British women are doing for the welfare of their fellow-beings. But there is further and even more important difficulty. To most of the philanthropic work carried on by individual women, or by a few women acting together, there is no clew obtainable. There are not only literally thousands of women who do good by stealth and blush to find it fame, but thousands who would object to supply any record of the good works which form a portion of their daily lives.

The Baroness, fully appreciating these difficulties, determined to collect as much information as possible representative of the work of British women of all sorts and classes, and to offer the material obtained, not as a complete record of the subject, but as an instructive and suggestive report, indicating some of the channels through which flow the innumerable streams of the private and public benevolence of British women.

The first step taken by the Baroness was to draw up a circular letter asking for original written accounts of philanthropic work of any kind which owed its genesis or success entirely or chiefly to women. Of that letter copies were sent to the heads of every religious body in Great Britain and Ireland, to the Agents General of all British colonies, to all charitable or philanthropic institutions with which women were known to be associated, and to every private woman worker for the welfare of others whose name and address could be ascertained. In this way many thousands of the circular letter were distributed, and in response the Baroness received a large number of manuscript reports upon the most varied forms of philanthropic effort.

All Reports Classified.

The reports as received were copied by typewriters, and then classified under convenient subject headings.

At the expiration of the time fixed for the receipt of reports, notice of which was given through the press, the reports, arranged under all the chief classifications or headings, were intrusted to women writers of ability, possessing special knowledge and experience of the particular phase of philanthropic work; and each author was asked to write congress papers, based upon the information which the Baroness had been able to collect, supplemented, as far as possible, by the writer's own knowledge.

When the congress papers, over thirty in number, were completed, they were arranged in proper sequence, and are being published in a volume of some 450 pages, under the title of "Woman's Mission." The volume also contains a letter from the Baroness to her Princess Christian, a long preface and many notes by her Ladyship, and an exhaustive index. The publishers of the book are Messrs. Sampson Low, Marston & Co., London, and Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

The original typewritten reports were arranged in proper order, exhaustively indexed, bound in six large folio volumes, and forwarded to Chicago, where they are placed in one of the glass cases in the subsection, "The Philanthropic Work of British Women."

The Baroness has also forwarded to the Exposition specimens of work done in various philanthropic institutions or by classes carried on by women in many parts of Great Britain and Ireland for lace-making, knitting, wood-carving, beaten iron and brass work, etc., as well as several models, water color sketches, and albums of photographs, etc., and some seventy volumes of books. Her exhibit therefore consists of three distinct things:

1. The volume of congress papers, entitled "Woman's Mission."
2. The six volumes of typewritten reports upon which the congress papers are based.
3. The albums, pictures, models, and specimens of work on exhibition.

Data of Great Value.

To those interested in the philanthropic work of women the printed volume of Congress papers or essays must prove one of deep and abiding interest. In addition to her preface and notes the Baroness contributes two Congress papers, one entitled, "Woman, the Missionary of Industry," describing the wonderful results achieved, single-handed and in the face of apparently overwhelming odds by such noble workers, among others, as Mrs. Bernard, Mrs. Rogers, and Miss Dorothea Roberts in Ireland; and Mrs. Arthur Hanson in Constantinople, and the other describing the valuable work of Miss Ormerod, the etomologist. Among the other writers of Congress papers are:

Her Royal Highness, Princess Christian, Mrs. Molesworth, Miss Hesba Stretton, the Hon. Maude Stanley, Mrs. Sumner, wife of Bishop of Guildford, Countess Compton, the Hon. Mrs. Wortley, Miss Florence Nightingale, Mrs. Boyd Carpenter, wife of the Bishop of Ripon, Miss Mary Steer, the authoress of the "Schonberg Cotta Family," Miss Anne Beale, Miss Agnes Weston, Mrs. Gilbert (Rosa Mulholland), the Hon. Mrs. Muir Mackenzie, Miss Lidgett, Miss Emily Janes, Miss Louisa Twining, Miss Hubbard, Miss Fanny Calder, Miss Petrie, B. A., Miss Edith Sellers.

Among the subjects treated by these women writers are:

"Woman's Work for Children." "The Care of Young Girls." "Clubs for Working Girls and Young Men." "The Responsibility of Parents." "Woman's Work in the Ragged Schools." "Emigration." "Missions to Navvies." "Associated Work of Women in Religion and Philanthropy." "Philanthropic Work of Women in Connection with the Church of England." "Rescue Work." "Homes of Peace for the Dying." "Nursing." "Woman's Work Among British Soldiers and British Sailors." "Philanthropic Work of Women in Ireland." "Women as Poor Law Guardians." "Domestic Science and Education." "Industries and Technical Classes Promoted by Women." "The Organization of Philanthropic Women Workers."

Baltimore Fishery School.

In the Fisheries Building the Baroness Burdett-Coutts exhibits a model of the Baltimore Fishery School, County Cork, Ireland; a model of one of the fishing smacks; first-class specimens of mackerel, cured by boys of the school; and several photographs, including a large portrait of Father Davis. In the Baltimore Fishery School, the first of the kind in any country, 150 poor boys, taken from all parts of Ireland, are maintained, clothed, fed, and educated. They receive practical education in all the arts relating to fishing, fish-curing, net-making and mending. It is maintained by capitation grants given by the government under the industrial schools acts of Parliament aided by private contributions.

With respect to its origin the school may be said to have grown out of the well-known scheme for providing the Irish fishermen with the best class of fishing boats carried on by the Baroness and Mr. Burdett-Coutts for some years previously. By this scheme, under the able management of Father Davis, the fishing industry was revived in Baltimore and the isles, the Irish fishermen showing themselves capable not only of reaping the harvest of their native seas, but of honorably repaying the loans, and thus becoming owners of their boats. The spirit of activity and enterprise thus engendered amongst the inhabitants and friends of the neighborhood found a new and remarkable development in the school, which is here represented. It was established in 1887 by the Most Rev. Dr. Fitzgerald, Bishop of Ross, Father Davis, Mr. Burdett-Coutts, M. P., and Sir Thomas F. Brady, Bart., and was formally opened amidst great enthusiasm in August, 1887, by the Rt. Hon. the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, who has from the first warmly promoted the scheme.

Amongst the contributions given toward its foundation were the munificent sum of £5,500 from the government, £1,000 from the grand jury of the County of Cork, £350 from his Grace the Duke of Norfolk, and several large donations by the Baroness and Mr. Burdett-Coutts.

Work Done by the Baroness.

In the gallery of the Woman's Building will be found an exhibit to which a peculiar interest attaches. It has been forwarded to the Board of Lady Managers at its special request by her Royal Highness the Princess Mary Adelaide, Duchess of Teck, and is designed to illustrate the philanthropic work publicly undertaken during the course of her long life by the Baroness Burdett-Coutts.

Some months ago Mrs. Potter Palmer, as the President of the Board of Lady Managers, addressed an official inquiry to the Baroness, asking if she proposed to give any account of her own work in the section devoted to the philanthropic work of British women, of which her Ladyship is President. On the Baroness replying that she did not propose to include in that section any account of her individual work, Mrs. Potter Palmer addressed a letter to her Royal Highness Princess Mary, explaining the difficulty that has arisen and the strong feeling of the Board of Lady Managers that no record of the philanthropic work of English women could be complete, or in any sense satisfactory, without some account of the great part which the Baroness herself has taken in such work. Under these circumstances Mrs. Palmer ventured to ask her Royal Highness, as a well-known and intimate friend of the Baroness, to assist the Board of Lady Managers in filling the gap indicated.

In response the Princess Mary wrote to Mrs. Potter Palmer stating that she had much pleasure in acceding to the request, and since then her Royal Highness has forwarded a short biographical sketch, a large portrait of the Baroness, a number of models and photographs, and a large album, illustrating the philanthropic work of Baroness Burdett-Coutts. The sketch of the Baroness' public life, which her Royal Highness states has been prepared by a competent and accurate hand, does not pretend to be complete or exhaustive, but will be found to be a narrative of extraordinary interest and value. In order to make this record of a noble life as widely known as possible, it is to be published in the form of a small volume, in as inexpensive a form as possible, consistent with good type, paper, and binding. The volume, which is now in the press, will contain as an explanatory preface the full text of the two letters already referred to—the one addressed by Mrs. Potter Palmer to Princess Mary, the other the reply from her Royal Highness.

ENGINE MAKES 112 MILES AN HOUR.

Astounding Time of World's Fair Locomotive No. 999 on the New York Central.

NEW YORK, May 12.—[Special.]—It is perhaps a coincidence that just as the report of the phenomenal speed of the Campania is received there comes another from the interior of the State of an achievement of a locomotive which, were it not well authenticated, would seem almost incredible. The World's Fair engine No. 999 is reported to have attained a speed equivalent to 112 miles an hour yesterday, a rate of speed so great that it can only be illustrated by comparison. Nothing short of a musket ball could hit it. It is as near cannon shot velocity as steam power has ever reached. Yet this achievement does not surprise those who were interested in the construction of this engine. It was built to make a hundred miles an hour drawing an ordinary train, and it was expected that it would be able to make spurts which would exceed that speed. The engine does not differ especially in construction from those in common use, but has been made with the view to obtain the highest speed power with the least wastage of steam.

The news which has been received from Albany indicates that a company has been formed and a charter effected for the purpose of building a tunnel under the waters of New York Bay from Jersey City to Long Island, and from some of the names mentioned in the application it is inferred that parties interested in the Pennsylvania Central railway management as well as Austin Corbin are concerned in this enterprise. The project has been referred to heretofore in this correspondence, and the reports of the engineers who were employed to make report upon the feasibility of the project have been briefly set forth. Incredulity, however, has prevailed in this city respecting the project, although those who have talked with Austin Corbin have been greatly impressed with his enthusiasm over the plan. Now the capitalists who propose this venture have gone so far as to secure articles of incorporation, and unless the engineers have misled them it would seem as though they were justified in taking preliminary steps for this great undertaking. It would also be a great step in advance towards that project of Mr. Corbin's which has in view the creation of a port at the eastern extremity of Long Island.

It was developed today that a little over a year ago, at the time the Farmers' Alliance craze caused widespread interest, the cordage people undertook to establish a thousand dry goods stores in as many communities, and especially in Farmers' Alliance districts throughout the United States. The business was to be conducted much as the Consumers' Cattle company which started out with such a flourish of trumpets a few years ago was to be done. Buyers were engaged in New York at large commissions, and a good many thousand dollars' worth of goods were bought by them to be shipped to the different stores and to be sold there at a cost from which the profits of jobbers were to be eliminated. Able business-men here who knew of this plan thought it was queer business for the Cordage company to be engaged in, since it was well known that the legitimate profits upon cordage when the business was well managed were perhaps as great as those upon any other manufactured article. This failed, as it was doomed to fail from the start, but it cost the Cordage people a good deal of money and also the confidence of shrewd business-men who knew of this apparently absurd plan. HOLLAND.

TWO MURDERERS HANGED IN TEXAS.

Man They Killed Testified Against Them for Assaulting Notorious Jim Brown.

SHERMAN, Tex., May 12.—John Z. Carlisle and Charles Luttrell were hanged in the jail-yard here at 2:05 p. m. today. Both died instantly. The widow of W. T. Sherman, whom they murdered, witnessed the execution. The murder occurred April 25, 1892, at Denison. Jim Brown, afterwards killed at Garfield Park, Chicago, was assaulted while Sheriff of Lee County in 1880. It was not until 1887 that an indictment was found against John Carlisle and Ed Meyers for that offense. Meyers, upon the evidence of Sherman, got two years in State prison. Carlisle was caught in February, 1891, at Hot Springs, Ark. He was released on bond, fled, and was recaptured and his trial set for May 1, 1892. But April 28 Sherman, the principal witness, was shot dead while in his home at Denison, whither he had removed. This crime, through various clews, was traced to John Poe, John Carlisle, Charles Luttrell, and Frank Foge as principals and accomplices. Luttrell and Carlisle were convicted. The others are yet to be tried. The two condemned men carried their cases to every accessible court and resort, but failed in every instance.

LENSES FOR TWO GREAT TELESCOPES.

Good Progress Being Made on the Glasses for University of Chicago Observatory.

BOSTON, Mass., May 12.—In the shop of Alvan Clark & Sons, Cambridgeport, there are now in process of construction the enormous forty-inch lens telescope, which is almost completed, for the Kenwood Observatory of the University of Chicago, and the Bruce photographic telescope, which is being made for the astronomical observatory of Harvard College. The lenses for the Chicago telescope are four inches larger than the lenses in the telescope at the Lick Observatory and are forty inches in diameter. Mr. Clark's contract for the two lenses expires in a year, but he considers that the work is coming extremely well. In fact, the crown glass is ground down, wrapped up in flannel, and put in a big square box ready for the final polishing, while the flint glass still requires considerable manipulation.

Temperance Crusade at Owensboro.

OWENSBORO, Ky., May 12.—[Special.]—One thousand women of Owensboro have banded together and pledged themselves to wage a crusade against the liquor dealers and manufacturers. They will adopt the plan followed in the famous temperance crusade fifteen years ago, singing, praying, and exhorting in front of the saloons. Owensboro has sixty saloons and manufactures more whisky than any city of its size in the world.

NEW OCEAN RECORD.

Fast Eastward Passage of the Cunarder Campania.

TIME: 5 DAYS 17 HOURS.

The Greatest Day's Run of the Voyage Was 517 Miles.

PASSED THE SWIFT PARIS.

Best Previous Time Was 5 Days 19 Hours of the New York.

GREAT THINGS EXPECTED OF HER

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

QUEENSTOWN, May 11.—[Copyright, 1893, by the Press Publishing company, New York World.]—The new Cunarder Campania came into Queenstown this morning at 9:30, smashing the record by two hours and a quarter. Its trip was a real race with the Paris, for after the Paris had got well ahead the Campania caught up with it and slowly passed, while the passengers of both ships crowded the decks and cheered and shouted. This was the Campania's maiden Eastern trip. As for the next voyage to New York they say it is certain to lower the time by several hours if no accident occurs. The trip ended today lowered the standing Eastern record of five days 19 hours five minutes, made by the New York in August, 1888. The Campania accomplished the trip in five days seventeen hours twenty-seven minutes, official time, covering 2,928 miles. It has still to beat the Paris' Western record of five days fourteen hours twenty-four minutes before it flies the blue ribbon of the Atlantic for the supremacy of East and West trips.

When the Campania's engines were slowed down off Roches Point to disembark mails and passengers both crew and passengers were gay and happy over their victory. The ship's best day's run was Wednesday last, when it steamed 517 miles. Its slowest day was Tuesday, when it made 474 miles. The last sixty miles from Browhead to Queenstown were made in two and one-half hours at a rate of twenty-four knots an hour.

The Campania left New York May 6, and at 11:40 a. m. Sandy Hook was abeam. At 1:18 it was abreast of Fire Island, so at noon twenty-nine miles were logged. Just beyond Fire Island some slight defect in the machinery caused the engines to be slowed for an hour. Those on the ship could then see the Paris, which had half an hour's start, about ten miles ahead. It was 2 p. m. at this time and every one was excited. Soon the propellers went ahead again at full speed, and the distance between the two great ships was shortened. The weather was clear and all the passengers were on deck. Only a light breeze blew gently from the West over the smooth green sea. Gradually the Cunarder crept up on the Paris, and, at 5:23 p. m., when 109 miles east of Sandy Hook, it passed the American liner. There was an animated scene on the decks of each vessel.

Both steamships seemed to leap with new speed through the water, but the Paris had to yield to the Campania, and gradually the white black and white funnels fell behind in the distance. When darkness set in the Campania was so far ahead it had lost sight of the Paris altogether, and the American liner was never seen afterwards. Here is the log:

Up to noon May 6 29 miles were made; May 7, west-northwest, light breeze, with clear weather, 481 miles; May 8, same weather, 490; May 9, the wind blew strong from west-southwest to a moderate gale, with high sea, 474; May 10, strong to moderate breeze, 517; May 11, light breeze from the southwest, 493; May 12, at 6:14 a. m., when off Fastnet, 434 miles were logged, and when off Daunt's Rock lightship, at 9:42 a. m., 60 more miles were registered.

At the last of the memorable voyage yesterday when nearing the Irish coast the passengers knew they would break the record, so they held a musical entertainment in the saloon, at which James E. Neal, United States Consul to Liverpool, presided, and at the termination he delivered an appropriate speech. Count Kessler sang. The Campania

TODAY'S LITERATURE.

W. G. COLLINGWOOD'S "LIFE AND WORK OF JOHN RUSKIN."

The Estimate of a Sincere Though Not Fanatical Admirer—His Mother "Devoted Him to God," and Herself to Him, Although Her Treatment of Her Son Was Spartan in Its Severity—A Morbid Precocity Developed—Notes of the Latest Books.

"Life and Work of John Ruskin," by W. G. Collingwood. Mr. Collingwood writes as a sincere though not a fanatical admirer of Ruskin. One may object to his characterization of Ruskin and Carlyle as "the two greatest writers of their age"; one may question whether the teachings of Ruskin with relation to art and economics have won the success that Mr. Collingwood claims for them; but, after all, one must allow that the writer has meant to be candid. "I am trying," he says, "to give Mr. Ruskin's life and work, not my opinions. It is surely possible to admire a great man, though one differs from him (as I do from Mr. Ruskin) in everything that goes to make prejudice; in nationality, to begin with, and in all the associations of religion, politics, and art. I can only ask the reader to take the same standpoint and to read on to the end."

In tracing the mental development of Ruskin Mr. Collingwood bids us notice that "if origin, if early training, and habits of life, if tastes and character and association fix a man's nationality then John Ruskin is a Scotsman. His family was from Scotland; the friends and teachers, the standards and influences of his early life were chiefly Scottish. The writers who directed him into the main line of his thought and work, not so much because he chose them as leaders as because he was naturally brought under the spell of their inspiration, were Scotsmen." His early training, which was calculated to make a prig of the child, was ultra-Scottish in its austerity.

His mother "devoted him to God" and herself to him. The strength and sincerity of her nature taught her to guard her own affection with a show of serene severity which to gossips appeared almost too Spartan. There is a story told as against her that when her baby cried to handle the bright teakettle she forced the nurse to let him touch it and dismissed him screaming. When he tumbled down-stairs she whipped him that he might learn to be careful. When he came in to dessert or played among the fruit trees she drew the line at the currant. When an affectionate aunt sent him a Punch and Judy they were put away. He was thrown on his own resources for amusement.

There are some who think that the instinct thus repressed in childhood has reasserted itself in later life; that Ruskin has turned from one plaything to another with all the fitful ardor of boyhood. It is certain that the little fellow developed a morbid precocity. He learned for himself how to read whole words at a time, and how to write in vertical characters like print. He made rhymes before he could write them; at 5 he was a bookworm, and at 6 he began to write books himself—not only single books, but whole sets of volumes.

The first of these sets was imitated in style from Miss Edgeworth: "Harry and Lucy Concluded; or, Early Lessons"—didactic so he was from the beginning. It was to be in four volumes, uniform in red leather, with proper title, frontispiece, and "copperplates"—"printed and composed by a little boy, and also drawn." It was all done as laboriously in imitation of print; and, to complete the illusion, contained a page of errata—a capital touch of infantile realism. This great work was of course never completed, though he labored through three volumes; but when he tired of it he would turn his book upside down and begin at the other end with other matters; so that the red books contain all sorts of notes on his minerals and travels, reports of sermons, and miscellaneous information, besides their professed contents; in this respect also being very like his later works. The fact that much of his childish writing consisted of accounts of his summer tours gave him practice in description, which is commonly thought to be his strong point. His drawings at first were made to illustrate his books; and as a rule in after times when he sketched it was usually with the same object in view; hence, was only his own style that he studied in all his criticism to look at pictures as illustrations.

Ruskin himself recognized the lack of concentration to which his biographer adverts. Writing in 1875, he humorously remarks:

> I begin to ask myself, with somewhat pressing arithmetic, how much time is likely to be left me, at the age of 56, to complete the various designs for which, until past 50, I was merely collecting material. Of these materials I have now enough by me for a history of fifteenth-century Florentine art, in six octavo volumes; an analysis of the Attic art of the fifth century B. C., in three volumes; an exhaustive history of Northern thirteenth century art, in ten volumes; a life of Sir Walter Scott, with analysis of modern epic art, in seven volumes; a life of Xenophon, with analysis of the general principles of education, in ten volumes; a commentary on Hesiod, with final analysis of the principles of political economy, in nine volumes; and a general description of the geology and botany of the Alps, in twenty-four volumes.

When one contrasts this desultoriness with the well-ordered industry of a man like Darwin one cannot wonder that Ruskin has earned an unenviable distinction as a putter-forth of rash judgments. As a critic he is too often heady, fantastic, unsound. Arnold is right in saying that much of Mr. Ruskin's writing "reminds one of those words of the most delicate of living critics: 'Comme tout genre de composition a son écueil particulier, celui du genre romanesque, c'est le faux.'" An Oxford writer quoted by Mr. Collingwood observes: "The intensity of his own perceptions always gave Mr. Ruskin difficulty in receiving any knowledge from others, and it has taken the form of subjectivity or egotism. He is unable to endure authority on any subject, or even to accept testimony."

It is nevertheless true that Ruskin has done his best work as the interpreter of other minds. "He analyzed the principles of Turner and Carlyle," says Mr. Collingwood, "and laid the foundations of a new system, in the first case of an art theory, in the second case of a social theory, which they had illustrated in concrete examples." No doubt Ruskin the social reformer is at odds with Ruskin the art critic. But as Mr. Collingwood points out: "If we want to understand Mr. Ruskin there is only one way of studying him, and that is to trace from point to point the growth of his mind. With the biographical scheme understood the discrepancies and difficulties of Ruskin fall into their place and explain themselves." Elsewhere he says:

> The more I study his life the more I see that his work is not irresponsible and eccentric. The careful student should be able to trace his genius down to the end in continuous and rational progression. Passing over defined intervals of mental disease and allowing for vehemence of expression his mental development, I make bold to say, is normal and logical throughout his life. And I believe that when his work can be looked back upon as a whole with proper understanding of its environment and with full knowledge of the circumstances the common reproach of insanity made against each new manifestation of his mind will then be scorned as an exploded prejudice.

Mr. Collingwood is probably right in asserting the continuity of Ruskin's mental development. Whether he writes of æsthetics or economics Mr. Ruskin is always a moralist. In many ways he has been a power for good. His demand for sincerity in art, his demand that the code of economics shall make room for the golden rule, have not been made in vain. His influence upon young persons, especially girls, has been most beneficial. Even his industrial experiments, fantastic as some of them were, have proved successful in certain cases.

Yet one cannot speak of Ruskin with entire respect. The man has become an inveterate scold. His early popularity had a bad effect on a nature already too self-conscious. He grew arrogant, querulous, whimsical; his language became increasingly intemperate. At times his want of sympathy and tact amounted to brutality. "Formerly when clerks from Glasgow or workingmen from Manchester wrote to say that they really wanted to read him but really could not afford, he replied with a growl that if a child in the gutter wanted a picture book, he would say: 'Come out of that first!'" The unreasonableness of his attitude, his reluctance to make the best of accomplished facts, have caused him to be disliked as well as distrusted. Since he cannot stop or turn back the chariot-wheels of Time he vents his spleen by barking furiously at the horses. In 1880 he had been named as a candidate for the rectorship of the University of Glasgow. The students belonging to the Liberal party thereupon asked him whether he sympathized with Lord Beaconsfield or Mr. Gladstone. Mr. Ruskin replied:

> What in the devil's name, have you to do with either Mr. Disraeli or Mr. Gladstone? You are students at the university and have no more business with politics than you have with rat-catching. Had you ever read ten words of mine with understanding you would have known that I care no more either for Mr. Disraeli or Mr. Gladstone than for two old bagpipes with the drones going by steam, but that I hate all Liberalism as I do treachery, and that, with Carlyle, I stand, we two alone now in England, for God and the Queen.

The magnanimous statesman who is now at the head of the British Government has just given a characteristic answer to this insolent outburst by nominating Mr. Ruskin for Poet Laureate—a distinction to which he is by no means entitled in virtue of his poetical achievement.

Mr. Collingwood, who was at one time private secretary to Mr. Ruskin, has not chosen to dwell on the disagreeable side of his hero's character. His treatment of Ruskin's unfortunate married life is admirably discreet. In his account of Ruskin's early love affair he is less reticent, and he is almost guilty of satire when describing the young wooer's pedantic methods. He has given us a pleasant glimpse of Ruskin's life at Brantwood and has enriched his book with some hitherto unpublished letters, of which the most interesting is one from Robert Browning in reply to Ruskin's request for an explanation of certain poems. We make room for a few sentences from this characteristic letter:

> For your bewilderment more especially noted—how shall I help that? We don't read poetry the same way, by the same law; it is too clear. I cannot begin writing poetry till my imaginary reader has conceded licenses to me which you demur at altogether. I know that I don't make out my conception by my language; all poetry being a putting the infinite within the finite. . . . Why, you look at my little song as if it were Hobbs' or Nobbs' lease of his house or testament of his devisings, wherein, I grant you, not a "then and there," "to him and his heirs," "to have and to hold," and so on, would be superfluous. . . . Do you think poetry was ever generally understood, or can be? Is it the business of it to tell people what they know already, as they know it, and so precisely that they shall be able to cry out: "Here you should supply this—that, you evidently pass over, and I'll help you from my own stock?" It is all teaching, on the contrary, and the people hate to be taught. A poet's affair is with God, to whom he is accountable, and of whom is his reward.

Among the illustrations are half a dozen portraits of Mr. Ruskin at different ages, together with several drawings by him, from Mrs. Arthur Severn's collection. An appendix contains a chronology, a bibliography, and a catalogue of drawings by Mr. Ruskin. (Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co. 2 vols., $5.)

"The Germ-Plasm," by August Weismann.

The problem of heredity may be studied from two standpoints—that of the results and that of the causes; by a compilation of observed facts and the comparison of adult characteristics, or by an investigation into the phenomena which underlie the production of an organism. Since previous investigators have confined themselves almost exclusively to the former method, the writings of August Weismann mark an epoch in the development of the subject. He deals with the causes of hereditary influence, and in so doing brings the fight far within his own territory, where only those practically acquainted with the technique of modern biological investigation are able to follow him. He is the central figure and to a great extent the inspiration of the new school of cellular biology, the activity of which has resulted in a long line of brilliant discoveries, almost all of them within the last decade. Walking parallel with Weismann, step by step, either for the sake of refuting or of substantiating his claims, investigators have attained positive results in a field which in Darwin's time lay under the domain of pure theory. Boveri has shown the identity of male and female pronuclei, Hertwig has pointed out the homology between Spermatogenesis and Oögenesis, Mark has recognized the true nature of the polar corpuscles, as abortive ova. The investigations of Watase, Henking, Haecker, Strassburger, Guignard, and a host of others, both upon the animal and plant side, have flooded the world with an enormous mass of facts, all of which Weismann, with a wizard's skill at combining, transforming, and reinterpreting, receives and incorporates into his marvelous theory. How truly progressive and capable of modification and enlargement this theory really is may appear from the series of essays which Weismann has published during the last ten years, each one of which is a direct advance upon the preceding paper. It is thus with some regret and not a little apprehension that we note the appearance of the present large volume, which has too much of the significance of a completed period of growth. Another more serious cause of apprehension lies in the vast amount of purely theoretical speculation.

To a scientist, accustomed to reason from a basis of repeatedly-tested facts, the conception of the id as set forth in "Amphimixis" was a great strain on faith, its only basis in fact being its possible identity with the "microsome." What, then, shall we say to the present hypothesis which reduces the "id" to determinants, and the determinant to biophors—not a single one of all these conceptions being based upon any direct observation? In developing these ideas Weismann commences with the nature of protoplasm, which he does not consider a single chemical compound, however complex, but a combination of many. The unit of protoplasm is hence not a molecule, but a group of molecules, with limitless capacity for rearrangement. This hypothetical unit he terms a biophor, which is the smallest possible particle of living matter—i. e.: of matter showing the four fundamental characteristics of protoplasm: irritability, contractility, metabolism, and reproduction. Rearrangements of the atoms of individual molecules, as well as rearrangements of the molecules themselves, give an almost infinite capacity of change in the characteristics of the individual biophors. These biophors give the character to every cell of our organisms, and are contained in large quantities in each. The difficulty of acquiring as many biophors in the germ-plasm as in the expanded organism is obviated, first, by their power of indefinite multiplication, and, secondly, by the conception of a unit of a higher degree, the determinant. This is always a group of biophors and never a single one, and it owes its power of variability to the number and arrangement of the component biophors. The germ-plasm possesses as many different determinants as the cells or groups of cells which are independently variable in the completed organism.

Thus, for all the old blood corpuscles one determinant may be deemed sufficient, while for each of the independently variable brain-cells, a determinant is necessary. Finally all the determinants necessary for the development of one organism are united in the germ-plasm to form a unit of the next higher group, the id. This, of all the concepts, is the only one that rests upon observation, and here its identity with the microsome is at least questionable.

In the germ-plasm of each parent there are several ids, each with its full complement of determinants; hence there ensues a struggle among them, the control of the future cells and cell-groups being obtained by the victors.

Several hypothetical diagrams are introduced showing the "germ tracks" or paths followed by the determinants on their way to their respective cells. The problems of monogonic reproduction, regeneration of lost parts, heterogony, dimorphism, etc., are discussed in the remainder of the book, as explained under the application of the new theory.

On the whole, the theory is a remarkably consistent one and will prove a direct stimulus to investigation in this direction, its substantiation, modification, or refutation resting upon the test of accumulated fact. The atomic theory of matter, resting upon the pure hypothesis at first, transformed the sciences of chemistry and physics, and has been followed by a period of unprecedented activity in those departments. It may thus be safe to prophecy that the appearance of this remarkable theory of the germ-plasm will produce great results in arousing investigation independently of the fate of the theory itself. (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.)

"Horatian Echoes," by John Osborne Sargent.

Dr. O. W. Holmes, in his introduction to these translations, explains why Horace has always been a favorite with scholars. "The perfection of his style, the admirable truth and discrimination of his critical judgment, the charming companionable familiarity of his odes, the thoroughly human feeling which pervades them, qualified by the sensitive fastidiousness inseparable from the highest cultivation, fit him for the scholar's intimate and the student's guide. Virgil has been the object of an admiration amounting almost to worship, but he will often be found on the shelf, while Horace lies on the student's table, next his hand."

Dr. Holmes tells us that "few could appreciate these excellences so fully as Mr. Sargent. It is a privilege to be introduced to the great Augustan lyrical poet by one so thoroughly conversant with his author and so deeply imbued with all the distinguishing qualities of this refined, genial, clear-sighted, thoroughbred Roman gentleman." A metrical translation of Horace, however, is an undertaking in which entire success is not to be expected. One is thankful if even a dozen odes have been rendered by the same translator with substantial fidelity to the spirit and form of the original. Mr. Sargent did not live to complete his work, and in all six odes appear to have been untouched by him, while of the others more than that number were left unfinished, and have therefore been omitted from this volume. His fondness for the anapæstic meter is to be regretted. Few English writers have succeeded in lending dignity to anapæstic verse, and it is generally reserved for grotesque or humorous themes. Mr. Sargent has used this meter in his version of "Persicos odi," "Iocl, beatis," "O fons Bandusiæ," and other well-known odes with as effect that is far from felicitous. His is not the ideal translation of Horace. The problem for translators is to convey an impression of strength as well as grace and to temper seriousness with smiles, while avoiding the appearance of rudeness, effeminacy, or frivolity. Speaking generally, it may be said that while Mr. Sargent has preserved the geniality and sprightliness of the original, he has sometimes failed in rendering the refined courtliness, the chastened eloquence of the past. His version of "Eheu fugaces," however, is pleasing; and the "Solvitur acris hiems," the "Intactis opulentior," and the odes to Thaliarchus and to Pyrrha are also among his more successful efforts. But the numerous paraphrase of the Second Epode, which was read by Mr. Sargent at a dinner of the Harvard club, is perhaps the cleverest thing in the book. One regrets that the editor did not see fit to publish the other paraphrases that were written by Mr. Sargent, for special occasions. We quote enough of Mr. Sargent's spirited "pastiche" to make a connected whole:

> O what a happy fellow he
> Who lets no cares of business bore him,
> But from bills, banks, and brokers free,
> Lives as his father lived before him;
> Contented in his rural box,
> To trim his trees and fleece his flocks!
>
> He neither dreads the angry sea,
> Nor fears the fireman-trumpet's call;
> He fags not at the Mayor's levee,
> Nor haunts the courts of City Hall;
> Scouting, as 'round his farm he trudges,
> Injunctions from the Tammany judges.
>
> Ere cherry blossoms deck the spray,
> He sows his rye and plows for corn:
> Superfluous branches lops away,
> And grafts the Duchess on the thorn;
> Or marries to the stately pine
> Virginia's green but grapeless vine.
>
> His jars the lucid honey fills,
> The maple's luscious juice his pails;
> He sees his cattle range the hills,
> Or hears them lowing in the vales;
> His Southdown lambkins, as they play,
> Are making mutton every day.
>
> When autumn lifts his temples, crowned
> With clustered grapes and tasseled maize,
> When buckwheat patches flush the ground,
> And woods with gold and scarlet blaze,
> Oh, then with what delight he sends
> His pears and peaches to his friends!
>
> One basket, Doctor, goes to you,
> Who give his casual aches relief;
> One to the preacher's wife; and two
> Require the local journal's chief,
> Who lustily his trumpet blows
> For premiums at the cattle shows.
>
> And now the evening meal is spread,
> The unbought banquet of the farm—
> Fruit marmalades, and sweet brown bread;
> While the good housewife thinks no harm
> To give her home's toil-worn providor
> A copious horn of this year's cider.
>
> The oyster on the Eastern shore
> With epicurean flavors smacks;
> I've supped at Guy's in Baltimore
> On devilled crabs and canvas-backs,
> And relished more than tongue can tell
> Pheasant and Spanish mackerel.
>
> Away with dainties like to these!
> He loves the simples of the fields,
> Cresses and parsley, corn and peas,
> And all the stores the garden yields,
> To garnish cutlets of his lambs,
> And slices of his Berkshire hams.
>
> Thus Jacob spoke, and left the street,
> Shaking the gold-dust from his feet;
> Called in his loans, sold out his stocks,
> And bargained for a rural box;
> But ere a month had passed away
> He found that farming would not pay.

(Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co. $1.50.)

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Among the many features of the work of the women, in their efforts to furnish something of interest to their sex, is a neatly bound volume of autograph recipes, compiled in convenient form by Mrs. Carrie V. Shuman and called "Favorite Dishes." The book contains hundreds of recipes for the preparation of palatable dishes, selected from the numerous responses returned to the compiler by the women of the World's Fair Commissions, each one being signed in autograph by the contributor. It has in addition a number of portraits of the leading members of the Board of Lady Managers and is the best efforts of the exponents of the art of cookery in the present stage of its development. There are 210 pages of recipes, chosen from the most attractive of the thousands offered in response to the request of the compiler. The book is published in two editions—one, the author's, being bound in silk; and the other, which is not limited, being bound in cloth. The latter has been application to the Columbian Autograph Cookery Book company.

Brief Mention.

"Squire Hellman and Other Stories," by Juhani Aho. This latest issue in the "Unknown Library" contains four short sketches of life in Finland. The translator, Mr. R. N. Bain, describes the pseudonymous author as "the prince of Finnish novelists." Aho's art, he tells us, combines a photographic exactness and a generous sensitiveness with a deep and broad humor, a graceful fancy, and a vivid imagination. Unfortunately the stories chosen for translation are so brief that one cannot verify the truth of this portrait. "Squire Hellman" describes a practical joke that is played on a blustering, avaricious fellow by certain officials whom he has wantonly insulted. Hellman, however, consoles himself by the reflection that he is really no worse off than before, since the improvements made by a dispossessed tenant have just been forfeited to him. But poor Antti, the ejected farmer, "goes begging his way along with his wife and child, wandering wearily onward and regarding with dim, dull eyes the course of this world where the poor man has so little to expect, and so very seldom gets even that little." "When Father Brought Home the Lamp" tells of the excitement aroused in rural Finland by the introduction of coal-oil lamps in place of the resinous pine chips which were formerly used in cottages. "Pioneers" is a touching tribute to the "first martyrs of colonization," who gave their lives in winning from wild nature a plot of ground for others to cultivate. The primitive conditions of rustic life in this remote and thinly peopled region may be clearly realized from Aho's graphic pages. (New York: Cassell Publishing company.)

"Figure Drawing for Children," by Caroline Hunt Rimmer. A useful manual of elementary figure-drawing, written in clear and simple language, and designed not only for children but "for all who wish to understand and draw the child figure." The text is fully illustrated with outline drawings. The figure of the child is compared with that of the adult, and the points of difference are fully brought out, so that the student obtains a good idea of the physical characteristics of childhood as revealed in the form. And the proportions of the figure are shown in a simple outline diagram in such a way as to be readily apprehended by a child. On the other hand the "solid forms" are rather beyond children and require some knowledge of anatomy on the part of the student. In regard to facial expression Mrs. Rimmer gives some excellent practical hints, while the directions for foreshortening, not being intended as a substitute for study from the life, are properly very brief. As the author remarks: "Having gone over all the parts of the child-figure and studied them more or less in detail, the pupil must go farther than the teacher has taken him, or can take him, by giving his own interpretation of what he sees. Whenever in the company of children watch them, observe form, outline, action, expression. It is not easy to measure how much of the real spirit of their life and of every movement we may be able to capture by this method." (Boston: D. Lothrop company.)

"The Revolution in Tanner's Lane," by Mark Rutherford. Though not a new book, it having been first published some ten years ago, this novel deserves more than a passing mention. It is faulty in construction, to be sure; there is a gap of over twenty years between its two subdivisions and only two of the characters live on from beginning to end of the story. It is really a string of episodes which the author has cut short at a certain arbitrary point. Nevertheless, the book is well worth reading, and for more reasons than one. The author was evidently a man who did his own thinking, and some of his observations on life, religion, and human nature are full of shrewdness. Nor does he show the crudity that is often found in writers of his type. In "The Revolution in Tanner's Lane" he betrays his sympathy with the struggling poor and with liberalism in religion and politics. He describes with simple skill the oppression of the masses by the classes in England under the Regency, the religious tone of the Nonconformist communities, and the manners and customs of the natives in a Midland market town. Admirable as far as they go, these studies have an unfinished, fragmentary effect; one wishes that the author had turned over his materials to George Eliot, of whom he reminds one a little here and there. With his characters he is not always successful, since he lets his personal preferences come into play somewhat too freely. But his portrait of Jane Coleman, a primly selfish, frigidly sensuous, ceremonially pious woman without a spark of generosity in her nature, has every mark of truthfulness. The emotions of a good man who finds that his wife's character is without depth or spirituality are made the occasion for some powerful passages. There are studies in this work which might have been combined into a really impressive picture. (New York: Cassell Publishing company. $1.)

"On the Highways of Europe," by Jules Michelet. Mme. Michelet has compiled this record of journeys in England, Switzerland, Italy, the Tyrol, and the Netherlands from the notebooks of her husband, the famous French historian. The earliest of these trips was made in 1834, the last in 1840. M. Michelet was a brilliant writer, but these unconsidered trifles, the hasty notes of impressions received while on a flying tour, were hardly worth preserving. An account of a dinner party at Talleyrand's house in London is not without interest. M. Michelet was told at Geneva that "Goethe's secret for keeping young, that is to say, maintaining the equilibrium of his powers, was to retrench gradually in his diet. Thus, after having been in the habit of drinking two bottles of wine a day he reduced himself at last to half a bottle." The author's reflections are sometimes characterized by chauvinism or false sentiment. The translation, too, is not always correct. "Rideo quia video," for instance, is misrendered "I laugh at what I see." (New York: Cassell Publishing company. $1.50.)

"Donald Marcy," by Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, is a story of college life at Yale, cacophonously called "Harle" by Mrs. Ward. Donald is a gay, good-hearted young fellow, the son of a wealthy broker, and has all his life been accustomed to luxury and liberty. He is rusticated for "hazing," and goes to Vermont for two months in midwinter. Under the influence of good Dr. Fleet and his daughter Fay, a lively, sensible Smith girl, the young fellow resolves to turn over a new leaf on his return to college. In his junior year he tries for the great De Courtney elocution prize, but is defeated by an older competitor named Hallowell. Then Fay Fleet vindicates her Smith training by proving to the committee that Hallowell has stolen his speech from Rufus Choate. Donald gets the coveted prize, but has to leave college on account of his father's death. Mr. Marcy's affairs are left in the hopeless state so characteristic of financial failures in fiction, and Donald has to make his own way in the world. The reader is led to hope that he will succeed, since Fay has promised to marry him at his earliest convenience. Although the masculine element predominates, the story is clearly intended for young girls. Mrs. Ward takes occasion to illustrate the advantages of education as follows: "It was always understood in East Tipton that the postmasters, especially when they were postmistresses, read the postal cards. Fay used to write to her father in French when she had anything to say not intended for the public education. But it was found that these cards were only so much longer on the way, because the postmistress had to go home for her lexicon." (Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co. $1.25.)

"Idle Days in Patagonia," by W. H. Hudson. Although the shores of Patagonia were first sighted by the white man nearly four centuries ago, the country is still but little known. Mr. Hudson is a naturalist and one who gets closer to nature's heart than most of his tribe. To say this is to pronounce the title of his book a misnomer, for has not Thoreau himself told us that no true naturalist can be idle. The story of the author's travels is stirring, notwithstanding the fact that a goodly portion of the book is given up to description of the habits and beauties of the beasts, birds, and flowers that live and grow on the shores and plains of the "Country of Giants." No one but a naturalist would pause abruptly in the midst of a striking narrative of mutiny and shipwreck in which his life was in peril for hours to describe with exquisite art the beauty and fragrance of an evening primrose, a flower which was associated in his mind with the memory of danger. Mr. Hudson is preëminently a lover of birds. For him all nature is beautiful and beloved; but the bird of the scarlet breast, the mother in brown with the throat full of melody for the ear that will hearken, are his especial delight. Perhaps it is only the poet, groping in the daytime for the dream song that is yet unsung, who can fully share the traveler's feeling when he writes thus of his search for new feathered species: "I can say that my dreams by night were often of some new bird vividly seen, and such dreams were always beautiful to me and a grief to wake from."

There is plenty of adventure in "Idle Days in Patagonia," and the book will have a charm even for those who know not the difference between a song sparrow and a flamingo. There are descriptions of the savage customs of the inhabitants and tales of their wars with the elements and with their Northern neighbors. For the botanist, too, the author has opened up a new field. The book is well and copiously illustrated. (New York: D. Appleton & Co.)

In his "American Types of Animal Life," published by Little, Brown & Co., Mr. St. George Mivart gives interesting sketches of the animals that are peculiar to this continent, and notes the points of difference between them and their nearest congeners in the Old World. He treats of the monkeys, the opossum, turkey, bullfrog, rattlesnake, Carolina bat, American bison, raccoon, sloth, sea lion, whale, mermaid, and others, and does so by the aid of no less than 368 illustrations in a book of little more than that number of pages. He passes by the Darwinian controversy as not to be settled by himself, but contributes statements of not a few facts that may be used by others in such a discussion. For instance, in regard to monkeys, he points out the fact that no single kind of ape which exists in America is found anywhere else, and that the species which inhabit the Old World differ from those in the New "literally from head to tail," this expression being used directly for the apes, but applying to other monkeys. The Americans have developed further in some respects than the denizens of Asia and Africa. They have developed an additional wisdom tooth, and no others can make so wise a use of their tails. In the American forests the monkeys have an adaptation which practically supplies them with a fifth hand. A tail of this kind is called prehensile. Not every American monkey has it, but no monkey which is not American possesses anything of the kind. On the other hand, while some Old World monkeys have no thumb, and none have what may be called a good one, the most brutal baboon among them has a better one than has any of the American apes, in all of which the thumb is more like a fifth finger than one opposed to the rest for grasping. It may be an open question wether the aboriginal tribes of American man are of Mongol affinity and immigrants from Asia, but if such is the case it is pretty certain they brought with them no monkeys. Other statements in the book are products of original research, which should make the work a valuable one to those interested in the study of the higher forms taken cognizance of in natural history.

"Laws and Properties of Matter," by R. T. Glazebrook, M. A., F. R. S., and Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, is edited by Sir John Lubbock and published by the Appletons. It treats of the units of measurement of space, mass, time, position, velocity, and acceleration, the relations between force and motion, the definitions and measurement of work and energy, different forms of energy and of matter, the properties of solids, fluids, and gases, and the thermal properties of bodies. In doing this it has been found necessary to use algebraic terms and formulæ, but they are employed sparingly and are of the simplest type, requiring little knowledge outside of the arithmetical kind to comprehend the statements and their meanings. The work will be useful to many who have a good general idea of the laws and properties of matter to formulate that knowledge more precisely than hitherto, and induce exactness of thought instead of a mere approximation to correctness, while it is adapted to the instruction of the masses who want to be informed on these topics but are not able to pursue the study in the light of the higher mathematics.

Literary Notes.

Messrs. Charles L. Webster & Co. will shortly publish "Topsleton's Client," a humorous novel by John Kendrick Bangs, author of "Coffee and Repartee."

Mr. W. D. Howells denies the report that he is going abroad for a few years. Mr. Howells says that he finds an abundance of charming characters in American life, in whom he is chiefly interested, and about whom to write; and that he has no need to go abroad to study European models.

"The Cliff Dwellers," a story of Chicago life, by Henry B. Fuller, is announced for serial publication in *Harper's Weekly*. Mr. Fuller says: "The action takes place almost altogether in one of our big business blocks—our 'sky scrapers'—and ranges over the whole building, from roof to engine-room, from bank presidents to lunch-counter girls."

Forthcoming publications of Harper & Bros. are Vol. II. of the new illustrated edition of Green's "Short History of the English People"; "The Story of a Story, and Other Stories," by Brander Matthews; "A Story of the Great River," by Kirk Munroe; "The Unexpected Guests," a farce, by W. D. Howells; and "The Rivals," a story by Francois Coppée. The last two books will appear in the "Black and White Series."

If the news which comes from London is true Miss Marie Corelli must be a favorite author in the West. Some of her admirers, runs the tale, are starting to build a new city in Colorado, and the promoters of the enterprise have written to the novelist asking permission to name it after her. The site of this proposed Corelli City is described as "an elevated table land, partially surrounded and sheltered by mountains, and irrigated by many streams. The scenery is eminently grand and picturesque, and the place is reported to be a veritable paradise of flowers." The scene of the new romance which Miss Corelli is writing is laid in Athens, Plato being one of her characters.

Thomas Wright, who is writing a life of Daniel Defoe, hopes to portray the real man as distinguished from the political pamphleteer and novelist. "I wish," he says, "to show him in the street, in the meeting-house, in Lob's Pound (as we should now say), in his travels, in his parlor with his three lovely daughters, whom he loved so tenderly and of whom he was so justly proud; to show him cultivating his garden (four acres, with adjoining close)—he was a mighty gardener before the Lord—superintending his tile-yard, and (must we say it?) dodging his creditors. Defoe was a wonderful man, and a good man; but, like so many others, like all of us, perhaps, a bundle of inconsistencies. His faults, however, if compared with his good deeds, were insignificant."

Books Received.

DESTINY. By Susan E. Ferrier. Two vols. Boston: Roberts Bros.

TAKEN FROM THE ENEMY. By Henry Newbolt. Chicago: Rand, McNally & Co.

THE LOVES OF PAUL PENLY. By Anna M. Fitch. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS. By Don Allen. New York: Truth Seeker company.

THE CREATION OF GOD. By Dr. Jacob Hartmann New York: Truth Seeker company.

RANCH VENGEANCE. By William Lawrence Chittenden. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

FROM OUT OF THE PAST. By Emily Howland Hoppin. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN. By John T. Morse Jr. Two vols. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

FLEETING THOUGHTS. By Caroline Edwards Prentiss. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

A CATHEDRAL COURTSHIP. By Kate Douglas Wiggin. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

CAN YOU FORGIVE HER? By Anthony Trollope. Three vols. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

NAPOLEON, WARRIOR AND RULER. By William O'Connor Morris. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

CONFESSIONS OF A CONVICT. Edited by Julian Hawthorne. Philadelphia: Rufus C. Hartranft.

THE YEAR-BOOK OF SCIENCE. Edited for 1893 by Prof. T. G. Bonney, F. R. S. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

PATRIOTISM AND SCIENCE. By William Morton Fullerton, author of "In Cairo." Boston: Roberts Bros.

A PATHFINDER IN AMERICAN HISTORY. By W. F. Goedy and W. I. Twitchell. Part I. Boston: Lee & Shepard.

YOUTH. By Charles Wagner. Translated from the French by Ernest Redwood. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

THE UNAUTHORIZED HISTORY OF COLUMBUS. By Walter Dougall. Newark, N. J.: McDougall Publishing company.

ELEMENTARY WOODWORK. By George B. Kilbon, author of "Knife Work in the Schoolroom." Boston: Lee & Shepard.

PETER STUYVESANT. By Bayard Tuckerman, author of "Life of Gen. Lafayette," etc. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

THE PENANCE OF PORTIA JAMES. By Tasma, author of "The White Feather," etc. New York: Lovell, Coryell & Co.

THE STORY OF POLAND. By W. R. Morfill, M. A., author of "Slavonic Literature," etc. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

LOWELL, THE POET AND THE MAN. By Francis H. Underwood, LL. D., author of "Quabbin," etc. Boston: Lee & Shepard.

THE WRONG THAT WAS DONE. By F. W. Robinson, author of "Grim Brother," etc. New York: Lovell, Coryell & Co.

MENTAL LIFE AND CULTURE. By Julia Duhring, author of "Philosophers and Fools," etc. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott company.

A GREAT MAN OF THE PROVINCES IN PARIS. By Honoré de Balzac. Translated by Katharine Prescott Wormeley. Boston: Roberts Bros.

THE CHURCH IN THE ROMAN EMPIRE. By W. M. Ramsay, author of "The Historical Geography of Asia Minor," etc. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

QUERIES AND ANSWERS.

WILL WHITNEY, Englewood: The Sherman act is the silver law now in force.

A. L., Chicago: In the end of June, 1891, there were in Illinois 10,233.13 miles of railroad, and in Kansas 8,800.56.

L. S. D., No. 378 West Adams street, Chicago: Arthur Orton, alias Roger Tichborne, was sentenced to fourteen years' imprisonment with hard labor.

S. H. G., Chicago: Buffalo Bill has never been a member of the United States Congress. He got his title of the Hon. William Cody through having been in the Legislature of his State.

SUBSCRIBER, Chicago: The tax on personal property is, like other taxes, assessed by the officer appointed by the city for that purpose. No personal property is legally exempt from taxation.

CHARLES EMERY: The citizenship of the son follows that of the father, and the son of a United States Minister, if born while his parents were abroad, would be eligible for nomination to the Presidency.

H. BRYANSTONE, Buffalo, N. Y.: There is a complete official catalogue of the World's Fair buildings and exhibits, which may be obtained by applying to Maj. Handy, Department of Publicity and Promotion, World's Fair, Chicago.

A. C. GAINES, Evanston, Ill.: THE TRIBUNE cannot give the addresses of cooking schools. As to the place where a young housekeeper could best learn methods of general housekeeping it would, doubtless, be where she could study the operations of one more experienced.

D. MURRAY, Chicago: The name "Black Watch" was originally given to the semi-independent body of Highlanders who were intrusted by the English Government with the duty of keeping order in the Highlands. They were embodied as a regiment of the regular army—the Forty-third, afterwards the Forty-second—in 1740.

C. W. REDPENN, Whitehall, Mich.: The Temple of Jupiter in the Syrian City of Baalbec or Ba'albak is commonly called the Temple of the Sun, and was dedicated to Ra, the ancient Sun God, also known as Baal. The origin of Baalbec is lost in antiquity and the historical notices of it are scanty. It is supposed that the Greek Heliopolis is a translation of the name. John Malas of Antioch ascribes the erection of a great temple in honor of Jupiter at Heliopolis to Antoninus Pius. The city is also mentioned by Josephus, Pliny, and Ptolemy. The Temple of the Sun is in better preservation than the two other magnificent ruins by which it stands. It is larger than the Parthenon at Athens, and is a rectangle surrounded by columns forty-five feet in height and nineteen in circumference. The capitals of the columns and the main doorway are indescribably beautiful in finish. The building stands on a platform reached by a flight of stairs, which in 1688 were still standing.

W. H. VIVIAN Jr., Hancock, Mich.: The Belgian system of voting adopted in Michigan, Illinois, and several other States is the Australian system without alteration of consequence. England does not use quite the same system, but Mr. Forester's ballot act of 1872 established secret voting at all Parliamentary and municipal elections except Parliamentary elections for universities. The act of 1888 establishing the Australian or secret system of voting in the United States was first tested in the November elections of 1889.

READER, Chicago: The lectures that will be read and delivered at the various World's congresses during the Exposition will be printed. The papers will be published in both pamphlet form and in newspapers throughout the country. Some of the papers will also be printed by the government for distribution of the proceedings of the congresses among libraries, colleges, universities, and other learned societies, as well as being sent to foreign governments. All papers read at the congresses, together with the general proceedings of the sessions, will be printed, as far as practicable, in the public press. To some extent, where participating societies have sufficient funds, they will print advance sheets of the papers in pamphlet form. In such cases copies will be sent to the press of the country for publication. President C. C. Bonney of the congress says that if it had funds that could be used for printing all papers and lectures would be published. If the papers and lectures would be published. If the entire proceedings of the various congresses were printed at the close of the congresses they would make 100 volumes. Those of the engineering congress alone will make eight volumes.

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OFFICE OF The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Co.

CHICAGO, April 15th, 1893.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS:

Notice is hereby given, that, pursuant to the by-laws of the company, the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company, for the election of the officers of the company in Chicago, Illinois, at eleven o'clock a. m. Wednesday, May 17, 1893, to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and for the purpose of changing the date of the annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

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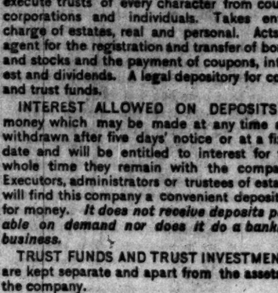

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Toledo, O., May 12.—GRAIN—Wheat active, firmer; No. 2 cash 74c; May, 74½c; June, 75¾c; July, 77½c; August, 79c. Corn dull; firm; No. 2 cash and May, 43¾c; July, 44¼c; No. 3, 44c. Oats quiet; No. 2, 32½c. Rye dull; cash 55c. CLOVERSEED—Dull; firm; prime October, $6.00. Receipts—Wheat, 8,919 bu.; corn, 15,275 bu.; oats, 1,000 bu.; rye, 500 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 7,550 bu.; corn, 4,978 bu.; oats, none; rye, 400 bu.

Duluth, Minn., May 12.—WHEAT—Firm and higher today. Close: No. 1 hard, cash and May, 73¾c; July, 76¾c; September, 79¾c; No. 1 Northern cash and May, 70¾c; July, 73¾c; September, 76¾c. No. 2 Northern cash, 69¾c; No. 3, 65¾c. Rejected, 54½c. On track, No. 1 Northern, 70¾c; No. 2 Northern, 69¾c.

IMPROVED CONDITION.

CONFIDENCE RETURNING—STOCKS MAKE SUBSTANTIAL RECOVERY.

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The situation has improved. The fact that we have gone over another day without any new unfavorable developments in itself signifies improvement, but besides that there is evidence of returning confidence. If the surface indications go for anything there will be no more bank failures. Chicago bankers are unanimous in that opinion. They say they know of no weak spots in the banking situation here, and further than that there is now a decided inclination on the part of all bankers to help any bank that might be temporarily embarrassed. There will be no more failures of institutions that might pull through with temporary accommodation. All the banks are now believed to be thoroughly solvent and they will stand together if necessary. There seems to be no special necessity, however, for the banks are running along with little if any evidence of anxiety on the part of their depositors. Indeed, with hardly an exception, the deposit accounts are larger than they were a few days ago. Several rumors were started in New York yesterday of possible further troubles here, but they were rumors of a bear news bureau type entirely, and seemed to be wholly without foundation.

The stock market showed much improvement yesterday. The feature of the opening was the heavy selling of regular West Side stock. Several hundred shares were thrown on the market at the opening and it was the general belief on the floor that the selling was part of an organized effort to break values further and enable those interested to pick up a large line of cheap stock. Regular stock continued to be offered, however, all day, and some came to the conclusion that the early selling was much more probably forced liquidation than hammering to depress values.

The stock opened at 170 regular and sold down to 168. At the same time that stock was being offered below 170 regular there were bids for account stock, which indicated how tight the money market is. At one time there were bid for acount stock 4½ points above offers of regular stock then on the floor and frequently there was a difference of 4 points. A 4-point difference was equal to 4% per cent for money.

The market took the long stock remarkably well and the instant the selling ceased showed decided rallying power. There was active trading in the account stock after the regular market started up from that figure and closed at the end of the morning call at 176. The opening in the afternoon was at 176. Stock was freely supplied at that quotation, but there seemed to be some substantial orders in the market, and everything that was offered was taken. Towards the close much greater strength was manifested. The stock went up to 178¾ and closed at that price. With the head of steam which was on at the close it seemed likely that a few moments more time would have carried quotations above 180. The opinion was current on the floor that there were some extremely heavy sustaining orders placed in the morning, and some traders were confident in their opinion that the worst is over so far as the market for these street railroad stocks is concerned, and that prices will be rapidly rallied.

One story was to the effect that Mr. Yerkes himself has come to the support of the market with enormous buying orders, and that he proposes to teach some of the people who have been selling the stock short a lesson. This is important if true, but there is a question as to how many shorts he will be able to capture if he has come into the market. As a rule the short sellers have been inclined to rest on their oars with prices near 170, and it is doubtful if many have failed to cover at these low quotations. The course of the market for the next few days will offer the proof of whether Mr. Yerkes proposes doing what some of the traders credit him with. As a rule he has taken little active interest in the speculative movement of the stock. He is now in the East.

North Side stocks showed some strenth. The opening was at 249¾. The stock sold up to 253¾ and closed at the highest price for the day.

The miscellaneous stocks were about steady and trading in them was fairly active. Calumet Dock strengthened a little, advancing to 58 for the account and closing ½ point below that. There seems to be fair demand for Diamond Match around 120, but it is not sufficient to advance the stock from that price. The brewery stocks have as yet made no marked reaction, but there are few of them for sale. Stewboard is heavy, and some look for further liquidation in that stock.

The list of sales was as follows:

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FEATURES OF TOMORROW'S "TRIBUNE."

There will never be a time, probably, when the memories of the glorious battle for American independence will not arouse the popular fancy. Pedigree amounts to something when one can trace ancestry back to the heroes of the Revolution. The aristocracy of American history is made up of the members of the societies whose membership is limited to the "Sons and Daughters of the Revolution," whatever be the name of the organization. Two of these societies will unite to hold a grand commemorative session in Chicago soon. The history of the organizations, with appropriate portraits and sketches of battles, will occupy half a dozen columns of tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

"Gath" is at the Columbian Exposition. He sees much to praise and but little to blame. With regard to some of the current stories of extortion and lack of accommodation Mr. Townsend has something to say which will open the eyes of the envious. His letter is a remarkable one, intensely interesting, thoroughly characteristic, and just the thing to send to friends out of the city. It will have a prominent place among the good things in tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

May 5th in Mexico what the Fourth of July is to America. An intelligent traveler with a good camera will show how our Southern neighbors celebrate the holiday in tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

Ward McAllister is opposed to American millionaires settling abroad. He will give his reasons in tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

Japan, they say, is the Yankeeland of the Orient. A lady who has had unusual facilities for observation tells of the home life of the Japanese for the benefit of readers of tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

Few people will confess that they ever have consulted a "book of etiquette" and yet many are guilty of the offense. Mrs. Abbott shows up some of these codes of manners in her literary gossip in tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

It is a curious idea to reduce the cries of the street peddlers to music and yet it has been attempted. The results are exceedingly interesting and will be given in tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

Yachtsmen are of course interested in the coming race for the America Cup, but every one is concerned in the build of the boats which are to uphold the honor of the country. An expert has written a good letter on the subject, which will be published with sketches of the lines of the new boats in tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

Harry Furniss describes the thunder in London during the recent parliamentary debate and furnishes his own illustrations for tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

The native heaths around about Chicago will be described and illustrated by an expert botanist for tomorrow's TRIBUNE.

Hang out a smallpox sign, Mr. Cleveland.

THE public roads of Illinois are now open for inspection to any desired depth.

ONE of Chairman Carter's strong points is his lack of resemblance to ex-Chairman Clarkson.

THE Rev. Sam Jones is about to open an anti-Satan campaign in Texas. The odds are against him.

THE best way to settle the dispute between Cincinnati and Cleveland is to refer it to the census of 1900 for arbitration.

IF Kaiser Wilhelm places too much emphasis on the first syllable of his name he may lose the second syllable entirely.

IF the Emperor of Germany had our Congressman Holman to deal with he would probably hang him. It is useless, however, to indulge in day-dreams of this kind.

IN grateful recognition of Mr. Blount's eminent services in Hawaii he should be raised from the rank of United States Minister to that of Ambassador as soon as the Hawaiian monarchy has been restored.

THE Vesuvius, with its pneumatic gun system from which such great results were anticipated, appears to be a doomed vessel. The experts of the Ordnance Department have about concluded to report against the system for the reason that the valve gears cannot be made to work with any certainty which would be disastrous in actual warfare. It now rests with the Secretary of the Navy to decide whether the system shall be tried further with the view of overcoming this defect. If he should decide against it then the question will arise what shall be done with the Vesuvius. It is of no use as a warship and its lines are not such as to make it of much use for the purposes of a gunboat.

UNDER the apportionment bill passed by both Houses at Springfield and which is now before the Governor for his signature, Cook County is divided into fifteen districts. It was really entitled to sixteen, but the Democrats would not have it that way. Of the fifteen districts the Democrats probably can control eight. They claim three others, leaving only four to the Republicans. One of the four will be represented in the next General Assembly by a Democrat—Senator Salomon. One of the three doubtful districts will also continue to be represented by a Democrat—Senator Bartling. It would take a political revolution to deprive the Democrats of a majority in the next General Assembly under the Crafts-Altgeld gerrymander.

THE opening of the New York stock market was strong, but prices soon began to sag and some stocks were extremely weak at the close. The local market withstood the selling of a heavy line of long stock and rallied sharply. Sterling rates were advanced once more. New York exchange sold at 70 cents premium.—The leading produce markets were moderately active, wheat leading in interest. In spite of lower cables the price was advanced, as there was good buying all along the line. Corn was dull and provisions averaged lower through an absence of recent support. As compared with the latest prices of the preceding day July wheat closed ⅜ cent higher, corn easy, oats steady, cash rye 1 cent higher, barley firm, flaxseed ½ cent lower, September pork 25 cents lower, lard 25 cents lower, and ribs 7½ cents lower.

W. W. TRACY of Springfield, who has been elected President of the National League of Republican Clubs, is a young man of much ability and great energy. He has worked hard to establish league clubs in this State, and has always been an earnest, consistent, and resolute Republican. He was a strong supporter of James G. Blaine in the National Republican convention a year ago, but when the convention nominated Mr. Harrison he fell into line to work for the party ticket. His election means renewed activity among the Republican clubs, the establishment of hundreds of new ones, and a careful and intelligent propaganda of the doctrines of the Republican party. Illinois has been honored in the selection of Mr. Tracy by the Club League convention at Louisville. There is much work for Mr. Tracy to do, but he will not fail to set himself to it vigorously.

IT is reported that Judge Scales is about to accept the resignation of Michael Schweisthal as Election Commissioner. It ought to have been accepted when it was tendered. Schweisthal ought never to have been appointed, as he had not the remotest conception of his duties under the law, which he probably never read. He permitted Larry Boyle to do his thinking for him and his voting for him into the bargain. There is no other way of explaining his action in raising Boyle's salary from $1,500 to $4,000 per annum. Judge Scales is now looking for a man to appoint in Schweisthal's place. It is to be hoped he will find some one who has some comprehension of the law and will have a mind of his own. There is only one of the present Commissioners who has the least understanding of the statute or who can be relied upon to do what is proper. Attorney Boyle has been the acting majority of the board, voting on the proxies of Hutchings and Schweisthal. That has not been conducive to the dignity of the board or to the esteem in which it is held by the public.

GIVE CHICAGO FAIR CONGRESSIONAL REPRESENTATION.

One Tom Carson, a representative from Champaign County who held a small office under the last Cleveland administration by the grace of "Horizontal Bill" Morrison, refuses to vote for the Democratic caucus scheme of Congressional apportionment on the pretext that it is imperfect and does not treat his section fairly. Mr. Carson is neither sincere nor candid. He has no serious objections to the bill. His opposition is inspired by Morrison and other Egyptian Bourbons. They fought hard last winter to prevent the adoption of the scheme because it proposes to give seven Congressional Representatives to Cook and Lake Counties. They thought Cook County should be satisfied with six Representatives. Cook County was not. The Democratic caucus conceded seven if Lake County should form part of the Seventh District. This meant that the Egyptian section should have two less Bourbon Representatives than it has now. The Morrison following did not like it, but the plan having been adopted by the caucus they did not care to fight it openly. Carson has been thrust forward now to do the bushwhacking for them.

It is to be hoped the Republican members from Cook County will not aid Carson or the Morrison faction in continuing to keep Cook County insufficiently represented in Congress. We have only five members from Chicago now. We are legally entitled on the basis of the Federal census to seven. If the census had been taken last year we would be entitled to nine. We certainly ought to have seven, and the tricky tactics of Morrison, Carson, and their fellows should not be permitted to deprive us of the additional representatives.

The Republicans of Chicago have nothing to gain by continuing the present system of insufficient representation. Of the five Chicago Congressmen four are Democrats now, and the solitary Republican was elected by a narrow majority. Under the new apportionment as proposed by the Democratic caucus Cook County certainly will have two Republican Congressmen and probably three. The Republican members for Cook, therefore, cannot afford to assist Mr. Carson in carrying out the Morrison scheme of depriving Chicago of two Congressmen. If they cannot secure the adoption of the Republican caucus scheme it would not be improper for them to abstain from factious opposition to the Democratic scheme. Circumstances may arise under which it would be their duty to vote for it. To do so certainly would defeat the cunning schemes of the Egyptian statesmen and might prevent the reintroduction of Sol Van Praag in the House at Springfield. Chicago's interests in the next Congress demand full representation.

THE UTAH MUSIC COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The delegate from Utah who has assumed the right to regulate the World's Fair Bureau of Music has presented his report as Chairman of the committee appointed to investigate the dealings of the bureau in general and the capacity of Theodore Thomas to fill the position of director in particular. In his excursion into the unfamiliar realm of music the delegate from Utah and his associates from the art centers of Kansas, Arkansas, Wyoming, and other sections have discovered what they conceived to be irregularities in the choice of pianos, harps, and organs sufficient to call for Mr. Thomas' dismissal.

So far as pianos are concerned it is stated in the body of the report that Mr. Thomas denied being in any way connected with any house engaged in selling or manufacturing musical instruments. That denial still holds good, for nowhere in the report is there any refutation of it. The report says that he denied selecting musicians because they used any special instrument, and the report does not contest the truth of that denial. The report states that he conceded to first class artists the right to use their own instruments if in his judgment they were good ones. It does not show anywhere that he has violated that concession. He admitted that artists received bonuses or pay for exploiting instruments, but asserted it was none of his business. The report does not intimate that it was his business to interfere. In this branch of the report therefore it is established that Mr. Thomas is not connected with any musical house, that he does not select artists because they use a special instrument, and that he allows an artist to use any instrument provided it is a good one.

As to the harp incident the report of the gentleman from Utah is even more inconsequential. He has established the fact that Mr. Thomas knew nothing about the letter written by Mr. Shuecker or the order which the latter addressed to the other harpists until he saw them in the newspapers. If the Utah gentleman could have found that he did know anything about them he would have been quick to declare it. He might have summoned witnesses to establish his allegations. Why did he not do it?

As to the organ incident the gentleman from Utah says:

Prof. Peabody, chief of the Department of Liberal Arts, having jurisdiction so to do, applied to Lyon & Healy to have them build an organ to be placed in the Woman's Building, tendering space for that purpose. The proposition was accepted and the organ was built ready for the delivery on time, when it was stated to that house that Mr. Thomas would call to examine the instrument, the matter having been referred to him. He did not call, nor was the instrument taken. But in its stead an organ represented by a non-exhibiting house is to be placed in the Woman's Building.

As it happens, the organ finally placed in the Woman's Building *was built by an exhibiter*, and organs of a similar kind made by this exhibiter are now on exhibition in the Liberal Arts Building. In an official report of this kind the gentleman from Utah should have been sure of his facts. His dense ignorance on one point clouds with suspicion the truth of every other utterance he has made and invalidates the entire report. It also illustrates the folly of meddling with things of which he and his associates know nothing. The whole report is so weak, vapid, and silly that the committee which has made it will be ashamed of its own folly when this "cruel war" is over and it realizes that it has been made the tool of two rival piano houses for advertising purposes.

SALOONKEEPING DYNAMITERS.

The occurrences at Muscatine night before last show what Iowa saloonkeepers or their sympathizers are capable of and recall vividly the Haddock murder at Sioux City some years ago. Three old and prominent citizens of Muscatine, an editor, an attorney, and a retired business man, had made themselves offensive to the liquor-sellers of the town by their efforts to enforce the prohibition law of the State. They had been successful in the case of a few saloons, six out of the thirty or more places for selling liquor which have a recognized existence in the city, and it was feared that their persistent labors might cause considerable trouble to the proprietors of the others.

The sentiment of the community was adverse to these three men and in favor of the non-enforcement of the law. A license system had been adopted in defiance of it, and the town was collecting considerable money. Hence to enforce the law involved a loss of revenue as well as interference with the comfort of drinkers. Nevertheless the three unpopular men were doing nothing which was not authorized by the law. They were exercising their rights under it. They may be called cranks or fanatics, but they were lawabiding.

Therefore the only course for their opponents to pursue was to agitate for the repeal of a law which deprived a community of local self-government and which made it possible for a few men to override many. Some ignorant, murderous-minded friends of the liquor interest thought they saw a simpler and quicker way of dealing with the matter and hence blew up the houses of their adversaries with dynamite. It is a wonder that several people were not killed—not merely the men who were obnoxious to them, but their wives and children.

Such methods do not commend themselves to the community or increase the admiration for saloonkeepers. If the best way to secure the repeal of an obnoxious law is to enforce it, the most certain means of keeping that law on the statute book is to try to murder those who are endeavoring to enforce it. The strongest anti-prohibitionists of Muscatine will say that votes and not dynamite should influence legislation, and that if saloonkeepers are going to resort to murder they can have no further dealings with them. Nothing could have happened more opportunely for the supporters of the Iowa prohibitory law than this attempt at assassination on the part of the saloonkeepers or their friends.

It is to be hoped that the energetic efforts of the Muscatine authorities will detect the villains who plotted so odious a crime and that they will receive speedily the punishment they so richly deserve.

WARNING TO COLUMBIAN GUARDS.

Complaints, in some cases justifiable ones, have been made of the conduct of the Columbian Guards. They have sometimes magnified their authority, as was but natural, and made arrests where a word of warning would have sufficed. Hence the need of the issuance of the following order:

Members of the guard are cautioned not to make arrests except when absolutely necessary, and not for trivial offenses where a cautionary warning would answer the purpose. In many cases the tone and manner in which guards address parties tend to invite resentment, and loss of temper on both sides results in arrests which could have been avoided.

Every person should receive protection and kind treatment; inquiries must be answered with civility and attention. The laying of a hand upon the shoulder or other part of the person constitutes an arrest, but this must not be done in a rude manner where the necessity does not exist. Hereafter guards will be held responsible for all unnecessary arrests and their manner of effecting same.

All the guards should take these directions to heart and observe them religiously. More than nine out of ten of the so-called offenses committed at the Fair ground are due to ignorance. Where a person does anything amiss because he knows no better a word of polite admonition will almost invariably make him stop. If ordered gruffly not to do a certain thing, the natural inclination of the independent American citizen is to refuse to obey. If asked "please" not to do a thing, he usually complies. If he does not then it will be necessary to resort to harsher measures.

Persons who are intrusted with police power have too much fondness for the laying on of hands. There are few things which the ordinary citizen resents more or which awaken a stronger feeling of combativeness, except when the laying on is done by the clergy. For the sake of peace and good order there should be as little use of physical force as possible. It is rarely necessary with such crowds as those at Jackson Park to do more than to use a few civil words.

The direction that "inquiries must be answered with civility and attention" ought not to be needed. It is the duty of the guards to familiarize themselves thoroughly with all those matters about which visitors are most likely to ask questions, so that they can answer with promptness and correctness. The reply, "I do not know," is one for which there is no excuse.

NATIVE WINES AT THE FAIR.

Prominent wine growers in California, who have contributed to the display at the World's Fair, complain that they are being shabbily treated by the restaurateurs at Jackson Park. The wines sold are served up in bottles "from which the label has been carefully removed," though in the same places the coffee cups and ice cream dishes are decorated with advertisements. It is stated that none of the restaurants display a wine list, though all of them are known to have well-stocked cellars, and the California men have complained to the Committee on Horticulture that they are led to believe only such brands of wine will be placed on the lists as are paid for by the makers of such brands. They also say the amount asked from each party to obtain this privilege has been stated to be from $2,000 to $5,000. They are not positive that these figures are correct, but if they are nearly all the winemakers who are exhibiting their wines at the Fair will be excluded from the wine lists at the restaurants for the reason that they cannot afford to pay such large sums.

It may be thought this is a mere advertising squabble, a question of dollars, in which the outside public has no interest—only a debate as to how much shall be paid for a privilege which the winemakers must consider valuable or they would not raise a row about it. Undoubtedly the names are left off the wine lists with intent to bring the California men to terms, but there may be another phase of the matter that more nearly concerns the public. It is notorious that large quantities of California wines are sold under foreign brands in this and other cities of the United States and charged for accordingly. People on both the Pacific and the Atlantic coasts put up that wine with bottles, corks, and labels which are such close imitations of those used in the wine-growing districts of France that they deceive the elect, the object being to enable the person who sells to the consumer to charge at least twice as much per bottle as he could get for the product of an admittedly home vintage. In so much as this fact may constitute a reason for wanting to keep California labels off the bottles unless on the payment of a royal sum, designedly placed so high as to be prohibitory, the exclusion should be condemned and officially forbidden.

The domestic wine growers, that designation including those from Missouri, Ohio, and New York as well as the Pacific State, have submitted a proposition which may put an end to the trouble. They propose to print a list such as will suit them, copies of which are to be distributed to the restaurants, which also will be supplied daily with such wines as may be required, and "the goods" need not be paid for till after they have been sold. They offer to "make as reasonable a price as possible," the wish being to make a deferred profit out of the extended patronage to be gained by bringing the product before the public rather than an immediate profit from sales made at the Fair. It is not impossible that an agreement may be reached by which this object will be attained.

UNIFORMITY OF LEGISLATION.

The Senate has adopted a resolution offered by Senator Salomon in which the House should concur. It provides for the appointment of three unsalaried Commissioners, whose duty it will be—

To examine the subject of marriage and divorce, insolvency, the form of notarial certificates, descent and distribution of property, acknowledgment of deeds, execution and probate of wills, and other subjects on which uniformity is desirable; to ascertain the best means to effect uniformity in the laws of the States, and to represent the State of Illinois in conventions of like commissions heretofore appointed or to be appointed by other States; to consider and draft uniform laws to be submitted for approval and adoption by the several States.

They are required to report their acts to the Governor a month previous to the meeting of the next General Assembly.

The marked difference between the laws of the several States on the subject of divorce has been a matter of concern for a long time. The complications and evils which that diversity of legislation occasions have been such that it has been suggested that the way to cure them was by the adoption of a constitutional amendment placing marriage and divorce under the control of Congress. Mr. Springer introduced an amendment to that effect some years ago but the House would not consider it. The difficulty of amending the Constitution, even when there is a popular demand, is so great that it has become apparent that no relief is to be looked for in that direction.

The only other thing to do was to harmonize the marriage and divorce laws as much as possible through the individual action of the States. For that purpose there have been conferences between representatives of Pennsylvania and some of the neighboring States. It soon became evident that some approach to uniformity was desirable in laws about insolvency, there being no national bankruptcy law, the descent and distribution of property, etc., and thus these conferences have taken a wider range than was anticipated at first.

Illinois should be represented at such gatherings, and if the resolution is adopted the Governor should appoint as Commissioners men learned in the law who will take pride in their task, and who will not hesitate to recommend changes in existing laws for the purpose of approximating to a desirable uniformity. Illinois is so important a State that it should not fail to take a prominent part in these conferences.

THE JEFF DAVIS BURIAL.

Arrangements have been made for the removal with great pomp and parade of the remains of Jeff Davis from Mississippi to Richmond, where they are to be buried in state. This impending manifestation of popular feeling meets with the disapproval of the junior Democratic organ, which fears that the effect of it may be to rouse "the old war spirit" at the North, where Democracy is momentarily in the ascendency; that Northern men will conclude that the latter day protestations of devotion to the Union on the part of the South are all sham, and that its people regret sincerely still that they did not gain their independence. The junior organ said a few days ago:

The enthusiastic mummery over the putrescence, which is all that is left of the Confederate chieftain, will give the bloody shirters their aptest text and their most exhilarating inspiration.

The Southern people should not add to the task which burdens the Democrats of the North, nor by an offensive effusion of sickly grief for their lost cause place in danger their new and better cause which has been won but is not yet absolutely secure.

Returning to the subject two days later, it spoke of—

The misguided enthusiasts and sentimental last-ditchers who have a plan for exploiting from Mississippi to Virginia, with processions, music, fireworks, and flags, the coffined putridity which is all that remains of the personality of Jeff Davis, for reburial at Richmond, the spot where the columns and walls of the Confederacy fell in general collapse and ruin.

These remonstrances will have no effect. The funeral program will be carried out fully and heartily, for it does not represent the ideas of a few enthusiasts and sentimentalists, but the deep, sincere feelings of the mass of the people of the Southern States. The remains of Jeff Davis will be greeted with as much affection as were those of Napoleon when they were removed from St. Helena to Paris.

If this intended demonstration were engineered by a few survivors of the war, who naturally regret that it ended as it did, this revival of the memories of a lost cause would fall flat. It would make no more of a stir than if a handful of Northern Copperheads were to disinter Vallandigham and bury him outside of Ohio. The reburial of Davis will not be a fiasco for the simple reason that the Southern people have not forgotten what he once represented to them—the militant South, the South with arms in hand, seeking to whip the Yankees and secure independence.

It is not probable that there is much regret for slavery. Its economic disadvantages have become too apparent. But the Southern people remember very keenly that after having boasted for a great many years of their ability to thrash the North whenever they felt like undertaking the job, at last they did try it and got whipped so thoroughly that they had to surrender unconditionally. It was shown that cotton was not king and that the "cavalier" could not lick the "mudsill." That knowledge so painfully acquired is rather galling, and such demonstrations as the approaching burial of Jeff Davis are in the nature of a passionate protest against the findings of the court of battle. The substance of it is, "you may subjugate our bodies but not our minds. The latter cling tenaciously to the memories of that period when we had a flag, a President, a Congress, and armies of our own."

It is wrong to scoff at these manifestations of popular sentiment, as the junior organ is doing, and to minimize their sincerity, for fear that they will have an unfavorable effect on Northern votes. It is better to admit and to deplore the genuineness and universality of this Southern feeling and to hope that the next generation will know less of it than the present one.

TOWNSEND, the crank who was committed for trial in London yesterday on the charge of having fired a pistol near the official residence of Mr. Gladstone and who wrote threatening letters to the English Premier, is evidently of the Guiteau kind. He seemed to think he had a mission to kill Gladstone. He was persuaded by the Unionist orators and by the writers of the Tory press that should Mr. Gladstone be "removed" the home rule cause would collapse. Mr. Chamberlain, the Diceys, and the London *Times* have said as much. Their language is not greatly different from that used by Townsend. The latter wrote to Mr. Gladstone:

I have a strong opinion of your cleverness. I firmly believe that if you will it the bill will become a law despite Salisbury, Balfour, Chamberlain, and the Lords, but it shall not if by taking two lives, yours and mine, hundreds, perhaps thousands, of loyal Ulster men will be saved.

The danger that Mr. Gladstone escaped through the fanaticism of Townsend appears to have been much more serious than was supposed. Townsend followed the Premier to Brighton and dogged his footsteps through Hyde Park. He lacked only the nerve to assassinate the great Liberal leader and commit suicide. His insanity—if it is insanity—is of the same type as that exhibited in Guiteau's case. And Guiteau was hanged.

AND now comes the National League of Musicians in session at Detroit with a resolution condemning Mr. Thomas for importing musicians from abroad to perform at the World's Columbian Exposition. It does not once seem to have occurred to these ignoramuses that this is a World's Fair and that having invited every orchestral and choral organization of any importance in the United States to take part common courtesy and duty suggested the propriety of inviting foreign musicians also. The league resolved "that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Director-General of the World's Columbian Exposition," who of course will chuck it into his wastebasket as an impertinence. The league should have sent it to the National Commission, which would have referred it promptly to the Utah committee. This would have given the representatives of the art centers of Utah, Arkansas, and Wyoming another opportunity to investigate Mr. Thomas and flaunt their extraordinary musical erudition. If Herr Richter, M. Saint-Saëns, and Sir Arthur Sullivan come here to direct the performance of their works, or if the band of the Garde Republicaine should presume to play in one of the open air pavilions, the Utah committee would have a fresh opportunity to discipline Mr. Thomas, particularly as none of these alien musicians are exhibiters.

THE model crematory for the disposal of garbage is now in operation at the Fair, and it is intended to be operated regularly from now to the close of October. Thus far it is a decided success and doubtless will continue to be so. Its work is accomplished without offense to the organs of sight or smell, the obnoxious material subjected to its action being completely consumed. It may be well for the city authorities to visit the park if only for the purpose of seeing for themselves how neatly and inoffensively as well as completely the garbage of Chicago may be got rid of. They may discover on inspection that it is of no use to reiterate the statement made by more than one official some months ago that "it cannot be done." The thing is done. The garbage produced at the Fair is being put out of the way by burning it, resolving it into its constituent elements, and subjecting to the same process much material not strictly to be called garbage, but which it is almost equally desirable to dispose of in the same manner. If any one connected with the Health Department or other branch of the municipal government has doubts on the subject those doubts need exist no longer. The doubter may witness the operation of the crematory at the Fair and be convinced. If not he will but verify an ancient remark to the effect that "none are so blind as those who will not see."

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S request that Senators and Representatives bring no officeseeking constituents with them when they call upon him has been obeyed by them with great pleasure. Each of them has been in the habit of marching up to the White House at the head of a procession of from two to twenty beggars. He has had to introduce them to the President and to tell what each one wanted and say a few words of commendation. As jealousy would be excited were he to urge the claims of one more warmly than of another he has had to be very careful in his remarks. It is a great relief for Congressmen to cease playing the part of bear-leaders, but their satisfaction is not shared by their constituents. Under the old system the officeseeker knew that his Representative did actually press his claims on the President. At present he cannot tell anything about it. For all he knows the Representative, while professing devotion to his interests, may have used his influence against him. The man who is after an office is distrustful of the sincerity of Congressmen. The President's order has worked so well as far as he is concerned that the heads of departments should pay him the compliment of imitating him. If they would ask Congressmen not to bring officeseekers with them public business would be attended to better and Senators and Representatives would return thanks. At this time the candidates, driven from the White House, have inundated the departments.

A LOCAL Democratic paper says that—

The Mayor is stuffing the police force with country politicians who are recommended by men all over the State who may be useful in the legislative campaign. For illustration: Three men from Taylorville, Ill., who are not voters in the City of Chicago, were, it is claimed, put on the police force last week at the dictation of an ex-State Senator. Other appointments of a similar character are being made in different departments, and the local politicians are disgusted and dismayed.

The disgusted local politicians should consider the situation and cease growling. Mayor Harrison and Gov. Altgeld are candidates for the Senatorial nomination in 1894. Presumptively the State convention of that year will select the nominee. Mayor Harrison having the local party machinery in his hands can secure a full delegation from this county, but Gov. Altgeld, who has offices to bestow in all parts of the State, may build up a State machine and under ordinary circumstances get the votes of the country delegates and a nomination. Therefore it is good politics on the Mayor's part to use the city patronage in such a way as to pick up votes throughout the State. If he can get some Christian County delegates by putting men from Taylorville on the police force it would be good politics to do so, and the Mayor will not deny that he is something of a politician. The local office-hunters should see that their loss will be Mr. Harrison's gain and draw what comfort they can from that fact.

THE bill which has been reported to the House at Springfield by the Committee on History, Geology, and Science, enabling the South Park Commissioners to purchase the Art Gallery at the World's Fair at the expiration of the Exposition and preserve it as a museum, should be passed at once and unanimously. The Art Building is conceded universally to be the most beautiful structure in Jackson Park. Its exquisite lines and beauty of construction have been admired by every one and praised by all American and foreign critics. It is the only building among the palaces of the White City which has been erected in a permanent manner. It should remain as a souvenir of the great Fair and as a permanent museum add to the pleasures of the people every day in the week and every week in the year. Not to secure it or to leave it to be torn down would be a sacrilege. The people of Chicago want it. The Legislature should pass the bill promptly.

A STATEMENT was made recently to the effect that the employment of electric circuits in cities causes a marked deterioration in the quality and value of the gas and water pipes. It is stated by an expert that there should be no such action, but he is not prepared to deny that it exists. Electricians depend on the ground to furnish one-half of the circuit, and it is quite possible that this "half" is, in some cases, constituted by the metallic pipes used to distribute gas and water. The subject is one for other experts to investigate and its discussion may be commended to the convention of gas-men to be held in this city the coming week. Naturally they are interested in preventing their properties from being systematically damaged by the companies which are actively competing with them for supplying the people with artificial illumination if not with power. The convention could not do better than to throw a little light on this now dark subject.

IT is given out that President Cleveland will make the tour of the world at the expiration of his present term of office! And then he will write a book! We see it all!

THE Jones who has secured the position of First Assistant Postmaster-general must not be confounded with other members of the Jones family except for the purpose of enabling the unsuccessful aspirants to give free expression to their feelings.

THE Columbian Guard is sufficiently Columbian, perhaps, but a trifle belated in the installation of his Guard exhibit.

ALL good doctors agree that there is nothing more indigestible and unwholesome than pie at 25 cents a cut.

IT was Kickers' day again at the Exposition grounds yesterday.

ALL that Ward McAllister appears to need is a good duenna.

THOSE who cannot read Spanish will have to go hungry or depend on the waiter in Chicago this summer. Since the arrival of the Duke of Veragua and the heralded coming of Eulalia even table d'hote bills of fare are in the language of the bull-fighters.—*Kansas City Times.*

The foregoing is a fair sample of the style in which some of our valued contemporaries endeavor to satisfy the appetite of their readers for interesting and trustworthy news from Chicago and the Columbian Exposition.

TO OFFICESEEKERS with whiskers: If Mayor Harrison has an unlighted cigar in his mouth and is fingering in his vest pocket for a match, back out quietly and call some other day.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Taking a New Start.

Rivers—"How are you getting along with that little pamphlet of yours on 'How to See the World's Fair in a Week'?"

Banks (wiping the perspiration from his face)—"I've thrown it aside, Rivers, and I'm working now on a big book entitled, 'How to Get a Glimpse of the World's Fair in Six Months.'"

Her Impressions.

"Well, how do you like going to school, Wendelline?" inquired her mother.

"The intellectual discipline pleases me very much, mamma," replied the dear little Boston girl who had just returned home after her first day at school, "but the methods are somewhat crude and the teacher impresses me as one who has not wholly succeeded as yet in the struggle to overcome the disadvantages necessarily resulting from defective early education."

Easily Explained.

Customer—"How does it happen you haven't filled the order I gave you two months ago for 100 pounds of strictly pure Vermont maple sugar?"

South Water Street Merchant—"It hasn't got here yet. If you hadn't insisted on my sending to Vermont for it, sir, I could have filled that order in twenty-four hours."

Glittering Inducements.

"Walk right in, gentlemen!" cheerfully sang out the orator at the door of the dime museum. "You can see our entire show, smoke all you please, converse with the fat woman, and feed peanuts to the monkeys, all for one-fifth of what it costs you to see the World's Fair, and there ain't no Columbian Guards, and pie at the eatin'-house round the corner is only five cents!"

PERSONALS.

Mary Ellen Lease has now put herself at the head of a new national peace society. So we shall probably hear no more of Mary yellin'.

Alice M. Cheney began business as an express messenger in Boston four years ago. She now has three offices and five teams in daily use.

Gov. Pennoyer cannot affect the offices of President or Secretary of State. But he may succeed in making the Governorship of Oregon a proper object for solicitude.

President Cleveland's country house, "Woodly," is a fine old mansion that was once the property of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Edison prefers women machinists for the delicate details of electrical machines. He says they have more fine sense about machinery in one minute than most men in their whole existence.

Mrs. A. B. Marshall of London is at the head of the largest cooking school in the world. She recently gave an object lesson in preparing a ball supper for 100 guests preparing everything in the elaborate menu of forty dishes herself.

Col. T. E. Dawson of Grand Forks, N. D., owns the first military order issued by Gen. Grant. It is a simple document, is No. 1, dated July 2, 1861, appointing Mr. Dawson Quartermaster and Commissary of the Twenty-first Illinois. It is signed Col. U. S. Grant, Springfield, Ill. Mr. Dawson has refused $5,000 for it.

Dr. Schott of Germany has been making some interesting investigations of ocean currents, the height of waves and the rapidity of their progress. He explodes the idea of waves "mountain high" and says that in the worst storms they do not rise higher than from 35 to 40 feet. This will be disappointing to sea-sick voyagers who fancied that they were several thousand feet high and full of ipecac or some other nauseating drug.

Mrs. Lucy Stone of Boston, the wife of Dr. Blackwell, is an ardent woman suffragist, and when the privilege was granted to women of voting for the school board she went happily off to register. But she found that, in registering, she must sign her name as Blackwell. This Mrs. Stone declined to do, and went mournfully away. Now her step-suffragists are pondering on whether loyalty to the cause required that she vote at any cost, or whether it was more progressive to refuse to sign her husband's name.

Joseph Francis, who died Wednesday at the age of 92 years, probably did as much for humanity as any one man. He invented, among other things, the metallic life car, used by life-saving crews, and the first car of that kind saved the lives of 200 persons in 1850. Mr. Francis received many honors from European governments for his invention, but it was not until 1888 that Congress voted him a medal, which was presented to him by President Harrison in 1890—forty years after the great value of his invention had been demonstrated.

Is This Honest?

Galveston *News*: If Northern Democrats are bitterly opposed to any material reduction of pension expenditure, as an exchange declares, then they need not count any longer on the united and faithful support of Democrats of the South.

GRANTS THE LICENSE.

JAMES APPLETON MAY RUN HIS VERNON AVENUE SALOON.

Mayor Harrison Issues an Order in His Favor in Spite of the Protests of Chief McClaughry and the Residents of the District—Only One Condition Attached—Congressman McGann Advises the Drainage Board to Urge the United States Authorities to Aid in the Project.

Mayor Harrison yesterday notified City Collector Brandecker to issue a saloon license to James Appleton for the place at the corner of Thirty-fifth street and Vernon avenue on the condition that there be no entrance to the saloon from Vernon avenue.

Chief McClaughry forced the decision of the matter upon the Mayor. The officers to whom the application was referred for investigation reported in favor of issuing the license. The Chief took this report to the Mayor yesterday morning and informed the Mayor that he could not concur in the report of his subordinates. He rehearsed the objections of the residents of the district and left the matter in the hands of the Mayor. About 5 o'clock Mr. Appleton was called in and made to stipulate that he would keep the Vernon avenue door of the place closed and the license was then granted.

"I have known Appleton for a great many years and have always found him honest and upright. It will take stronger evidence than has been presented to make me think he is disreputable and not fit to manage a saloon as it should be managed," said Mayor Harrison.

URGES THE BOARD TO EXERTION.

Congressman McGann Appears Before the Drainage Board Committee.

Congressman McGann addressed the Drainage Board's Committee on Federal Relations yesterday afternoon in regard to the prospect for securing aid from the United States Government in carrying out the plan for a waterway between Chicago and the Mississippi as outlined in the law creating the sanitary district. Mr. McGann was of the opinion that the government would be willing to improve the Desplaines and Illinois Rivers from Joliet to the Mississippi, and urged that the matter be thoroughly agitated, and that the board perfect its plans for the improvement as soon as possible. The nature of the improvement was discussed, but no action was taken. Mr. Cooley thinks no channel of less than fourteen feet in depth should be allowed, while other members of the board believe Capt. Marshall's eight-foot channel will be sufficient for all needs of commerce.

Only One Sweater Applies So Far.

The first application for a license under the new ordinance, requiring all proprietors of sweat shops to pay an annual fee of $1 and be subject to the surveillance of the police, was received yesterday by the City Collector. It was referred to the Health Department from which must come a recommendation as to the granting of the license. So far but one of the 500 sweaters of the city has applied for a license. At the end of the month the Health Department will turn over to the Police Department its list of shops, and the police will cause all proprietors, who have not a license, to get one or close up. It was said at police headquarters that recreant sweaters will be treated as recreant saloonkeepers are.

Why Are Inspectors Needed.

Commissioner of Buildings Tscelas decided yesterday that he would order no more buildings torn down on the report of inspectors until he has examined the structure said to be dangerous himself. He has not decided either whether he will tear down the building on Milwaukee avenue in spite of the injunction. He is not yet prepared to go that far, thinking the owner might be induced to do the work and make the building safe.

Ballard Threatens an Injunction.

The Public Service committee of the County Board yesterday discussed the proposed changes in the plans of the new Criminal Court building without result. Ex-Commissioner Ballard maintains that they are unnecessary and threatens to enjoin the board if they attempt to enter into any new contracts.

Notes.

The Superintendent was authorized to purchase 100 Miller fire-extinguishers for the County Hospital in case the Board provide much-needed fire protection for the inmates.

Mayor Harrison denied yesterday that he was importing applicants for policemen from country towns in the State. Also that the civil-service examination of candidates has been dropped

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TO RAISE NEW ISSUES.

WARREN SPRINGER'S BILL AGAINST THE TUNNEL COMPANY.

Claims That the Projectors Have Had Possession of His Canal Street Building for Two Years Without Making Progress in the Work—Asks That They Be Restrained from Further Control and That He Be Compensated—Taken Under Advisement—The Court Record.

A phase of the litigation between Warren Springer and the West Chicago Street Railway and Tunnel company and others came up before Judge Clifford yesterday on motion. Springer asked leave to file a supplementary bill in which he desired to bring up new issues. The bill reiterates the cause of action in the original bill and gives a history in part of the case. It states that in July, 1890, the defendants restraining the tunnel company from further interfering with Springer's building on Canal street was modified so as to give the defendants possession of the property. This, the complainant asserts, was done through misstatements made to the court which granted the modification. Although the tunnel company has been in possession of the premises for nearly two years, the bill alleges, the work of completing the tunnel has not progressed. Complainant therefore asks for an order of court restraining the defendants from further possession of the building and also asks that he be compensated for the advantage taken of his leasehold by defendant company. The motion was argued by Judge Clifford, who will decide the matter within a short time.

Disclaim Responsibility.

Examination of witnesses for the plaintiff in the damage suit of Hoda Braxton against the Union Steamboat company was concluded before Judge Grosscup yesterday. A motion to take the case from the jury was then made by attorneys for the defendant, and arguments on this motion will be resumed today. Testimony showed that some of the subordinate employés of the Union Steamboat company knew that naphtha was being carried here by defendants under the brand of "Diamond R." It was not known, however, that the responsible officials knew that this was the case or that they were aware such dangerous liquid formed part of the cargo of the steamship Plaza at the time of the explosion which killed the plaintiff's husband.

Sues for $30,000 Damages.

Henry Erkins has begun a suit in the Circuit Court for $30,000 damages against W. R. Fleming. Both parties to the suit are stockholders in the Rogers Glass company. Fleming sued the company some time ago to enjoin the present directors of the company from acting. He then sued to have a receiver appointed for the concern. He charged Erkins with forgery in defending the suit and had him arrested. Erkins alleges that the charges are false and sues to recover against his partner.

Briefs.

On the motion of Rogers, Smith & Co. of New York in the suit of Alling against Gilbert Bros. & Co., to foreclose a mechanic's lien, Master referring the cause to a master to examine into the financial affairs of Gilbert Bros. & Co.

The hearing of the evidence in the habeas corpus case of Mary E. Bell of Kansas City to recover possession of his two children was ended in Judge McConnell's court. Bell's divorced wife and Charles Swift were present. Judge McConnell took two weeks in which to think the matter over.

THE COURT RECORD.

Superior Court—New Suits.

14,697—William H. Tuttle vs. Andrew J. Cooper. Lien. $7,000. Lockwood Honore, attys.

14,698—Ada Shuster, by next friend, James Shuster, vs. Northwestern Elevated R. R. Co. and Northern Pacific R. R. Co. Case. $300. W. N. Ewing, atty.

14,699—J. Karnau vs. The City of Chicago. Case. $5,000. E. A. Ashburne, atty.

14,700—Minnie Lehmer vs. Charles Lehmer. Bill for divorce. Fanning & Herdlicka, solrs.

14,701—Joseph Urbanek vs. Maria Urbanek. Bill for divorce. Fanning & Herdlicka, solrs.

14,702—Agnes Peach vs. Jan Peach. Bill for div. Fanning & Herdlicka, attys.

14,703—Chicago Trust & Savings Bank vs. L. Yeoman, Asst., $600. John G. Henderson, atty.

14,704—Philip Winter vs. Bridget Keating. Bill for div. etc. Arnold Tripp, atty.

14,705—Rand, McNally & Co. vs. Hubbard & Picture Co. Case, $1,000. Barnes & Thompson, attys.

14,706—Frederick B. Stewart vs. G. S. Longenecker et al. Case, $5,000. Lord, Nelson & Bradley, attys.

14,707—Shagrily Pulp & Paper Co. vs. Belford, Clarke Co. et al. Attch. Fades & Gridley, attys.

14,708—William Wagner et al. vs. Indiana Racing Assn. Asst., $600. Attch. Fades & Gridley, attys.

14,709—Louis Stern vs. Edward Newman. Repln., Barnes, Hallett & Tinsman, attys.

14,710—Jacob Seidler vs. Kennedy, atty.

14,711—Petition of Wm. Seidler for use of Rhoads & Co. vs. Chicago National Bank et al. Garn., Barnes, Hallett & Tinsman, attys.

14,712—Jacob Seidler vs. Minnie Oelles. Bill for div. Israel Cossy, solr.

14,713—Wisconsin Lumber Co. vs. Albert & Russell. Case, $1,000. Clarke, atty.

14,714—Henry A. Foser, admr. estate of Hermann Fieser, dec'd, vs. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Co. Case, $5,000. Willard Gentleman, atty.

14,715—Henry W. Maxwell vs. New England Trust Co. et al. Attch. Tolman & Wheeler, attys.

14,716—J. Spencer Barker vs. Anna S. Block. Asst., $500. Cahill, atty.

14,717—Same vs. Same. The Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co. Asst., $500. Theo. Brentano, atty.

14,718—Frederick Golder vs. John Berger et al. Bill to foreclose trust deed. R. R. Harris, solr.

14,719—Same vs. Same. Same vs. John Gilbert, etc., et al. Bill for habeas corpus. Frank T. Cheney, atty.

Circuit Court—New Suits.

Frederick Knight vs. Jacob Weise. Bill for performance. A. Phalen and Herbert S. Fowler, solrs.

Frederick Reinhard, by next friend, vs. Western Wheel Works. Case, $5,000. Wm. Prentiss, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Charles Bieck. Appl. for receiver. Wm. Prentiss, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Frank Bigler. Appl. for receiver. Wm. Prentiss, atty. James B. Kelly and Cord Judge & Holt vs. Edmund Scott. Case, $5,000. Healy vs. Ida Ott et al. Bill to foreclose trust deed. $3,700. Vocke & Healy, solrs.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Samuel Daniels. Same vs. Same. Same vs. Frank Tolan et al. Same vs. Same.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Singer & Co. vs. Meyer Singer. Case, $1,000. Wm. J. Ohrenstein, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Schmidt Lumber Co. vs. Cairo Lumber Co. et al. Attch. Lewis & Sadler, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Union Brick Co. vs. Barnum, Humphrey & Co. et al. Case, $1,000.75. Barnum, Humphrey & Co., solrs.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Coal Co. vs. J. D. Fanning, Creditor's Bill. Scott, solr.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Frederick Boots et al. and Bridget Doyle vs. Same. Asst., $500. C. B. Obermeyer, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Andrew Peterson vs. George H. Moxon et al. Bill to foreclose trust deed $600. Milan Barker, solr.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. William C. Bliss vs. Samuel Richardson. Case, $5,000. Barnes & Thompson, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Boal vs. Titcomb & Pratt. Lien, $1,000. Lord, Nelson & Bradley, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. A. H. R. Baldwin, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Laundry Co. vs. Herbert G. Teed. Cont. Judgt., Barnes, Hallett & Tinsman, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Harry G. Baldwin, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Edward Burke. Case, $4,000. George C. Morton, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Knowlton Manufacturing Co. vs. Manhattan Life Insurance Co. of New York. Asst., 15,000. Moran, Krauss & Mayer, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Charles Bartley vs. Fritz Satterlein. Case, $5,000. Wm. Prentiss, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. The Americana Mortar Co. for use, etc., vs. W. Helmerdinger. Appl. for receiver. Wm. Prentiss, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Same et al. vs. Joseph Prinner et al. Asst., $4,150. J. Frank Richmond, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Austin vs. John Weidman. Bill for div. Israel Cossy, solr.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. H. N. D. Parker. Creditor's Bill. Albert Varty, solr.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Joseph R. Biedersteck et al. Asst., $600. H. Hawley, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Drake vs. Union Brick Co. Conf. Judgt. Charles S. Obermeyer, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Jacob et al. vs. Joseph Ullman. Case, $5,000. Moran, Krauss & Mayer, attys.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Joseph B. Ashford. Asst., $600. The Mechanics' and Traders' Savings Bank vs. Assn. of Chicago vs. Cornelius Comstock et al. Bill to foreclose trust deed. $3,700. Wm. Prentiss, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Frank Jaktorowski et al. Attch. Herman B. Wickenhaus, atty.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Chapman & Cochran, admins., etc., vs. Thomas Boots et al. Asst., $600. Newman and Northam, attys.

Attch. Sup.

County Court—New Suits.

Chas. Bradley et al. vs. Chicago & Northwestern R. R. Co. Appl.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Same. Same vs. Jacob Frank. Appeal.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Same. Same vs. E. A. Filkins. Vol. sagt.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Same. Same vs. Roland et al. vs. Samuel A. Snow. Appeal.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Thomas Donohue vs. Thomas Joyce. Appeal.

Judgments.

$40,101—Slattery vs. C. and N. W. R. R. Co. Case.

$1,000—Murray vs. Thompson. Case.

$1,000—T. P. & H. O. vs. J. M. P. Co. on ass.

$27.50.—1,382—McLaughlin vs. City, on fdg. $4,000.

Judge McConnell—18,040—Parson & Libby Co. vs. Glendkamp, on defl., $479.94.

Judge Dunne—15,381—Parson vs. Rosenbaum; defl., $1,405.—14,868—Stock vs. Stack; defl., $343.

Decrees.

Judge Stein—3,889—Barnes vs. Cohner; dec.—4,048—Hale vs. Hazes; dec. conf. sale.—4,503—Colvin vs. Meeker; dec.—4,695—Charles W. vs. Anna J. Fidsidi; dec. div.—5,979—Mary vs. Charles W. McCarthy; same.

Judge Tuley—242—Page vs. Smith; final dec.—2,469—Lasinski vs. Kunka; dec. conf. title.

Judge Collins—2,777—Hickey vs. Hickey; dec. of sale.

Judge Horton—5,571—Lynch vs. Lynch; dec.

Calls for Today.

United States Court of Appeals—Adjd. until May 16.

Judge Grosscup—No. 497 on trial.

Judge Seaman—No. 93) on trial.

Judge Stein—Default divorces.

Judge Brentano—No court.

Judge Hutchinson—Motions.

Judge Goggin—Motions.

Judge Tuley—Default divorces.

Judge Collins—Motions.

Judge Horton—Default divorces.

Judge Tuthill—Motions.

Judge Clifford—Motions.

Judge Baker—Motions.

Judge McConnell—Motions.

Judge Dunne—Motions.

Judge Scales—Nos. 9,277, 10,166.

Judge Kohlsaat—No court.

Judge Ewing—Branch 1, Criminal Court—Call not extended.

Judge Windes—Branch 2—Nos. 2,265, 2,350, 2,379, and 2,381.

Judge Adams—Branch 3—No court.

Court Calls for Monday.

Judge Stein—Contested motions.

Judge Brentano—No court.

Judge Hutchinson—No call. No. 142,864 on hg.

Judge Goggin—Short cause calendar.

Judge Tuley—Cont. motions.

Judge Collins—Cont. motions.

Judge Horton—Criminal Court.

Judge Tuthill—Short cause calendar.

Judge Clifford—Short cause calendar.

Judge Baker—Short cause calendar.

Judge McConnell—No court.

Judge Dunne—Short cause calendar.

Judge Scalbs—Nos. 10,717 and 10,983.

Judge Kohlsaat—Adjudications and general business.

Supreme Court of Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., May 12.—[Special.]—The following decisions were disposed of today in the Supreme Court:

In re. estate of Nathaniel Dewell, deceased; Cedar Dist.; affirmed.

William H. Durham vs. Bernard Hussenmann, appellant; Carroll Dist.; affirmed.

Abby Scribner vs. J. H. York, defendant and Bentley Worth, defendant, appellants; Polk Dist.; affirmed.

State of Iowa vs. Asa L. Stice, appellant; Appanoose Dist.; affirmed.

Des Moines Savings Bank vs. Colfax Hotel Company, defendant, and Winkel Clark, garnishee, appellant; Polk Dist.; affirmed.

Levi Van Sickle, appellant, vs. O. L. Keith; Cedar Dist.; affirmed.

TO ADJUST RATES TO COLORADO POINTS.

Reinhart and Jeffery Discuss Plans for Settlement of the War.

President Reinhart of the Santa Fé and Jeffery of the Denver and Rio Grande met in the former's office yesterday morning and commenced the consideration of the Colorado passenger rate troubles with a view of terminating the rate war between the two roads. There were also present General Agent Colbran, who has charge of the Colorado Midland's traffic affairs, Passenger Traffic Manager White of the Santa Fé, and General Passenger Agent Hooper of the Denver and Rio Grande. It is stated that the proceedings thus far point to an amicable adjustment of the differences between the two, but a final settlement is not likely to be reached before next Monday or Tuesday. As soon as the two roads have come to an agreement a meeting of the General Managers of the various roads in the Western Passenger Association and Trans-Missouri lines will be called and an effort made to bring about an adjustment of World's Fair rates between Chicago points in the West.

Many obstacles are in the way of a settlement of this matter. The market here and at Missouri River points is stocked with return coupons of the cheap round-trip tickets between Denver and Chicago, and as long as they remain in scalper's hands it is useless to attempt to maintain agreed rates higher than the war rates at which tickets are now being sold. The roads talk about redeeming the tickets now held by the scalpers, but this is easier said than done, as the scalpers are not likely to dispose of them to railroads, because it affords them a desired opportunity to manipulate the rates.

The rate war has been a sad blow for the railroads, because it has given people in the West an idea that they will get lower rates later in the season, and but few people have availed themselves of the opportunity to come to Chicago at the reduced rates. In fact, most of the Western roads did a better business at this time last year than they are doing now. They have become fully convinced that lower rates and more energetic efforts must be made if any great number of people are expected to visit Chicago during the Fair. The idea that people will pay any rate to come to the Exposition has already been exploded, and several of the roads which have heretofore been in favor of maintaining high rates now advocate a decided reduction.

To Open the New Wabash Line.

Next Sunday, May 14, the Wabash railroad will open up its new Chicago-Detroit division with additional train service and equipment. Every train on the new line will be vestibuled and equipped with new coaches and sleeping cars. All trains except Nos. 50 and 51 will run through solid between Chicago and Niagara Falls. The Wabash has been running freight trains over the new line between Chicago and Detroit for the last four or five weeks and the track is in excellent condition. The line between Chicago and Detroit is thirteen miles shorter than any other line between the two points. The following changes in time will take effect next Sunday on the Chicago-Detroit line: Train No. 50, Chicago and Detroit local, leaves Chicago 8:30 a. m. daily except Sunday, arriving Detroit 6:45 p. m. Train No. 51, vestibuled Chicago, Detroit, Niagara Falls, and Canadian express, leaves Chicago at 5:20 p. m. daily, runs solid to Niagara Falls. Sleeping car for Toronto and Montreal via the Canadian Pacific and Chicago to New York and Boston via the Grand Trunk, West Shore and Fitchburg route. Train No. 56, vestibuled, Chicago, Detroit, Toronto, New York, and Boston express leaves Chicago daily at 10:20 p. m., runs solid to Niagara Falls, with local sleeping car Chicago to Detroit, sleeping car to Toronto via the Canadian Pacific, and to New York and Boston via the Grand Trunk, West Shore and Fitchburg route. Train No. 55 leaves Chicago daily at 10 a. m. Solid train Chicago to Niagara Falls. Parlor car Chicago to Detroit, sleeping cars Chicago to New York and Boston via the Grand Trunk, West Shore and Fitchburg. A number of important changes will also go in effect next Sunday on the Chicago-St. Louis line.

George C. Smith Resigns.

St. Louis, Mo., May 12.—Assistant General Manager George C. Smith has forwarded to President Gould his resignation as Assistant General Manager of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain companies, also as manager of the Kansas City, Wyandotte and Northwestern railroad, with the request that the same be accepted at once. Upon the election of Mr. Clark as President of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain last month Mr. Smith was tendered the appointment of general manager by Mr. Gould, but owing to the change in the plans of Mr. Clark, by which he accepted the Presidency of the Union Pacific, the appointment was not announced. Under the circumstances because of Mr. Doddridge's appointment Mr. Smith did not feel justified in retaining the position of Assistant General Manager. His connection with the Missouri Pacific system dates from May, 1881, during which he held the position of Secretary to First Vice-President Hayes and Hoxie, assistant to First Vice-President Clark, and for the last two and a half years Assistant General Manager.

Reduced Rates for Meetings.

The lines in the Western Passenger Association have agreed to grant reduced rates for the round-trip for the following occasions: Annual meeting Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Missouri, St. Louis, Mo., May 16 to 19, fare and one-half from points in Missouri; State convention Prohibition party and State oratorical contest Inter-Collegiate Association, fare and one-third from points in Iowa; annual session State Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Davenport, Ia., June 2 to 8, fare and one-third from points in Iowa; annual camp-meeting and conference Seventh Day Adventists, Minneapolis, Minn., June 6 to 20, fare and one-third from points in Minnesota and North Dakota; annual meeting Iowa Agricultural and Mechanical College Alumni Association, Ames, Ia., June 20, fare and one-third from points in Iowa.

Railroad Notes.

The Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern has put in service a through Pullman sleeping car between Waverly, Ia., and Chicago. The train leaves Waverly at 5:40 p. m. daily, except Sunday, and returning leaves Chicago at 10:30 p. m. daily, except Saturday.

At the request of the Northern Pacific, Great Northern, and Union Pacific the Western Freight Association has authorized a rate on white hemlock extract of 67 cents from South Bend, Wash., to St. Paul, 72 cents to Mississippi River points, and 75 cents to Chicago.

W. W. Mackintosh has resigned the position of General Freight and Passenger Agent of the Utah Central railway. The duties of the office will hereafter be performed by General Superintendent T. J. Mackintosh. C. W. Hardy has resigned as Chief Engineer and Roadmaster.

Canadian Bacon Takes Its Place.

Ottawa, Ont., May 12.—The Hudson Bay company has secured the contracts for supplying rations for the Indians in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. Heretofore American bacon has principally been supplied.

TRADE NOT CHECKED.

REMARKABLE STRENGTH OF BUSINESS UNDER HEAVY STRAIN.

Failures Reflect Large Losses Due to Speculation, but Commercial Credits Are Not Materially Impaired—Thorough Liquidation of Inflated Industrial Stocks Is Followed by Quiet in the Loan Market—Bank Clearings Last Week Compared with the Same Time Last Year.

New York, May 12.—R. G. Dun & Co's weekly review of trade says:

The smash in the industrial stocks a week ago, the failures of some firms and of the National Cordage company, and the largest decline in stocks known in any week since 1873 have been followed by surprisingly little disturbance. Business has shown remarkable soundness and strength under such a strain. Bank failures at Chicago and Indianapolis and rumors of others reflect large losses through Chicago speculation in real estate and grain, and at Indianapolis through the failure of the Premier Steel company, but commercial credits are not as yet materially affected. Interior money markets are growing tighter and more cautious, but no such stringency is yet seen as to check general trade, which appears to have improved.

Quiet liquidation continues at Philadelphia and caution prevails, as the proportion of unsold goods is larger than usual. Collections are slow and in the iron trade some hesitation is seen about the ability of buyers. Iron has grown weaker at Pittsburg, with a slower demand for manufactured products, but the glass trade is fair. Better weather helps dry goods at Cincinnati. At Cleveland trade is good to fair. Uneasiness is caused at Indianapolis by the failure of steel works and a bank, and money is close. At Detroit collections and prospects are a little better. The volume of trade at Chicago is satisfactory, though somewhat disturbed by financial troubles, and retail distribution is not up to expectations. There is a heavy demand for money and accommodations are somewhat difficult, collections being slow. Receipts of wheat are large, 350 per cent above last year.

Milwaukee reports close collections and money scarce. At Minneapolis trade improves. The flour output is large, with heavy foreign sales. St. Paul reports rapid seeding, favorable weather, and improving trade. The volume of trade at St. Louis is heavy, shoe factories working extra time, and trade in dry goods is excellent, with easy collections. At Kansas City business is quiet, at Omaha good, and at St. Joseph improving, with money easy. Slight improvement is seen at Denver. At Little Rock and river Southern points the danger of high water retards trade. Collections are fairly good in Tennessee and Alabama, with quiet trade, rather slower at Atlanta, somewhat improved at Augusta, and fair at Savannah, where trade in naval stores is active. At Mobile trade is satisfactory; at Charleston brisk, though the liquor trade is unsettled by the new law. At New Orleans trade is only fair, though sugar is strong, rice in active demand, lumber and building materials active. The overflowing of low lands in the Yazoo Delta arrests collections and trade in that region.

The weekly iron output May 1 shows 27,000 tons increase for the month and is 3,700 greater than a year ago, while unsold stocks decreased 11,000 tons in April. Good pig iron is scarce, but some Southern brands are pressed for sale. Large supplies depressed tin at 20.35 cents and lead to 3.85 and coal is quiet. The shoe trade is unusually quiet for the opening. Cotton goods are accumulating, and in the woolens trade there is much anxiety about the future.

Speculation has lifted wheat two cents, though the crop report is less gloomy than was expected. Corn has slightly advanced and pork products largely. Cotton is unchanged, exports in April having been $3,000,000 less in value and 42,000,000 pounds less in quantity than last year. Oil is one cent and a half lower, exports also declining. All exports from New York have been $3,100,000 less for the last two weeks than last year, while imports show an increase of $3,700,000 for one week of May.

While failures for the week were 280 in number against 175 last year, and in the United States 257 against 150, there were only eleven with rating over $100,000. From $300,000 to $300,000 there were five, from $300,000 to $500,000 only two, one from $500,000 to $750,000, and two with rating over $1,000,000. Considering the extraordinary pressure in stock and money markets the report indicates greater soundness than could have been expected.

BANK CLEARINGS LAST WEEK.

Amounts at Principal Cities, Showing Increase or Decrease Over Last Year.

New York, May 13.—The following table, compiled by *Bradstreet's*, shows the bank clearings of various cities for the week ending May 11, and the percentages of increase or decrease as compared with the corresponding week in 1892:

Clearing-houses.	*Clearings.*	*Inc.*	*Dec.*
New York	$ 830,801,402	12.9	....
Chicago	113,764,000	9.7	....
Boston, Mass	105,701,843	6.7	....
Philadelphia, Pa	75,227,341	14.0	....
St. Louis, Mo	25,994,260	7.1	....
San Francisco, Cal	18,457,202	....	1.2
Baltimore, Md	14,985,333	....	11.9
Pittsburg, Pa	15,328,745	6.0	....
Cincinnati, O	13,671,650	....	5.3
Kansas City, Mo	11,884,721	27.2	....
New Orleans, La	10,393,561	20.4	....
Milwaukee, Wis	11,063,350	68.0	....
Minneapolis, Minn	7,618,557	....	21.2
Buffalo, N. Y	9,053,201	5.4	....
Louisville, Ky	7,625,433	....	7.1
Detroit, Mich	7,399,213	5.3	....
Cleveland, O	6,091,283	6.0	....
Omaha, Neb	6,998,190	19.6	....
Providence, R. I	5,902,100	5.0	....
Denver, Colo	3,254,408	....	7.3
St. Paul, Minn	4,211,583	19.0	....
Indianapolis, Ind	4,168,731	5.2	....
Columbus, O	4,051,300	7.3	....
Houston, Tex	4,595,977	74.4	....
Memphis, Tenn	3,545,427	....	20.5
Richmond, Va	3,542,217	3.4	....
Hartford, Conn	2,314,487	....	....
Portland, Ore	2,391,025	18.0	....
Washington, D. C	2,608,643	13.0	....
Dallas, Tex	1,992,353	5.6	....
Peoria, Ill	1,836,190	....	7.9
Savannah	1,597,902	21.0	....
Nashville, Tenn	1,216,395	....	39.1
Salt Lake City, Utah	1,525,000	....	11.4
St. Joseph, Mo	1,280,220	25.0	....
Duluth, Minn	1,306,353	19.3	....
Rochester, N. Y	1,812,777	19.5	....
Atlanta, Ga	1,310,429	5.0	....
New Haven, Conn	1,774,908	19.6	....
Springfield, Mass	1,662,541	....	....
Worcester, Mass	1,362,406	12.5	....
Portland, Me	1,440,647	....	....
Fort Worth, Tex	1,196,399	4.6	....
Seattle, Wash	1,119,116	....	45.9
Sioux City, Ia	1,071,923	....	1.9
Waco, Tex	1,318,188	59.1	....
Des Moines, Ia	1,134,039	....	1.5
Los Angeles	1,823,912	56.3	....
Grand Rapids, Mich	997,537	6.7	....
Norfolk, Va	971,602	8.3	....
Syracuse	976,516	7.8	....
Wilmington, Del	920,761	8.0	....
Tacoma	934,166	12.0	....
Helena, Mont	875,385	36.3	....
Lowell, Mass	809,845	....	9.9
Lincoln, Neb	482,756	....	32.5
Wichita, Kas	541,673	....	5.3
Birmingham, Ala	514,499	....	2.4
Lexington, Ky	427,723	....	16.0
New Bedford, Mass	534,149	1.7	....
Topeka, Kas	414,425	9.0	....
Binghamton, N. Y	309,500	38.5	....
Spokane	940,000	....	....
Saginaw, Mich	347,675	....	....
Jacksonville	469,818	....	....
Great Falls	316,377	....	....
Fall River, Mass	851,430	....	....
Charleston	913,987	....	....
Sioux Falls	199,533	....	....
Akron	266,392	....	....
Springfield, O	211,904	....	....
Bay City	326,304	....	....
Chattanooga	404,941	....	....
Galveston	4,940,910	23.5	....
Canton, O	177,300	....	....
Hutchinson, Kas	120,516	....	....
Emporia, Kas	50,063	....	....
Albuquerque, N. M	89,548	....	....
Hastings	68,656	....	....
Total	$1,370,664,109	11.0	....
Exclusive New York	539,862,650	8.0	....
CANADA.			
Montreal	$ 11,574,419	....	6.8
Toronto	6,155,705	....	7.3
Halifax	1,164,613	....	....
Hamilton	833,609	9.5	....
Total	$ 19,527,836	....	6.0

*Last week's totals.

REVIEW OF WALL STREET DOINGS.

Liquidation of Inflated Industrials Followed by a Quiet Loan Market.

New York, May 12.—Bradstreet's weekly review of Wall street says the thorough liquidation of last week in the inflated portion of the industrial group has been followed by comparative quiet in the loan market. The effect of the shock to confidence, is, however, still felt, and is supplemented by the uncertainty regarding the outcome of the currency question. The investment buying which such a sacrifice of values would justify has consequently been checked, and the only purchasing power has been furnished by the increase of speculative operations for a decline. The bear selling was sufficiently large and vigorous to create marked depressions, particularly in the railway share list, the covering of part of the short contracts being the most apparent reason for the rally which appeared later on. The tone of speculation is thoroughly timid and there is more or less apprehension about the future, which furnishes opportunity for the appearance of rumors affecting the position of various interests with more or less temporary effect on prices. An overhauling of accounts and readjustment of the same on the new basis of value has been in progress, this secondary effect of the panic being not without disagreeable consequence, although no mishaps have occurred. Additional reason for hesitation is found in the existing disturbance of the London money market, due to the Australian crisis.

LAKE SHIPPING NEWS.

Freights and Charters.

CHICAGO—The expected improvement in the movement of grain came yesterday, when more business was done than for a week. Rates, however, did not advance. Chartered—To Buffalo: Corsica, Shaw, Saranac, Harlem, corn: to Port Huron: E. B. Maxwell, oats at 1¼ cents.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Coal rates easy, with no loads for Lake Superior. Charters at former rates: Bonanza, Kingee, Chicago; Pabst, Flint, Flower, Schlesinger, Pinkington, Frank Vance, Milwaukee, all at 40 cents; Scotia, Ashland, at 30 cents. Canal freights declined to 4¼ cents on wheat to New York. There is a demand for boats, but nearly all arrivals are contracted at above rates, hence the decline to pay more.

CLEVELAND, O.—Ninety-five cents from Ashland, 85 from Marquette, and 80 from Escanaba are the rates freely offered by shippers today, but brokers are not putting vessels in many days ahead of time for loading, as they expect improvement in the rates. Within the beginning of next week there will be also a plentiful supply of coal. Charters—David Vance, Escanaba, Buffalo, at 90 cents; hard coal to Portage at 80; St. Lawrence, Menominee, 90; Kate Winslow, Erie, to Escanaba, 45. The latter is an advance over the rate which has ruled for a number of days.

DETROIT, MICH.—Chartered: West Side, Mystic Star, wheat to Buffalo at 1¼ cents.

TOLEDO, O.—Chartered: Debbie, Downing, wheat to Buffalo at 1¼ cents.

Around the Lakes.

DULUTH, MINN., May 12.—The ice has all been driven out of the lake by the heavy northwest gale.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 12.—The steamer Sitka has 1,300 bushels of damaged corn from going ashore on Kettle Point on the way down.

EAST TAWAS, MICH., May 12.—The boats will all be loaded by mill hands tomorrow, and it is expected that the strike of the vessel loaders will be settled before the arrival of the next fleet.

Port of Chicago.

Arrived—Coal—Mary B. Mitchell, Erie. Lumber—Geo. C. Burnham, St. Ignace. Mars, Ludington; Kate Darley, D. L. Filer, William Grandy, Marinette; E. E. Thompson, Menominee, Menominee; John Spry, John T. Johnson, Manistique. Light—Barnum, South Chicago. Sundries—Harlem, Buffalo. Cleared — Grain — Bonanza, Chicago, Buffalo; Averell, Ogdensburg. Light—Inter-Ocean, John Duncan, Escanaba; 105, West Superior; Arcadia, Garfield; Plymouth, Duluth; W. J. Carter, A. Soper, Ludington; Joys, Traverse City; Ellen Williams, Snow Island; Charles Rietz, Clipper City, Manistee; Marshall, Manistee; Norragansett, Gladstone; J. B. Wilbor, St. Martin's Bay; E. T. Judd, Fred Garney, L. Stephenson, Marinette; Empire State, M. C. Neff, G. J. Boyce, Menominee; John Otis, Muskegon; S. Thall, Frankfort.

Vessel Movements.

RACINE, WIS.—Arrived—Tice.

OSCODA, MICH.—Arrived—shores.

ALPENA, MICH.—Arrived—Viking.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—Arrived—Wawanosh.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Cleared—Lizzie Madden, Buffalo.

OSWEGO, N. Y.—Cleared—Argonaut, Page, Chicago.

LORAIN, O.—Arrived—Iseman. Cleared—Williams, Tampa.

Down—Saxon, 7. Up—Business, 7. Wind west, light. Clear.

LUDINGTON, MICH.—Arrived—Connesaut Cleared Johnson, Chicago.

ASHLAND, WIS.—Gould. Cleared—Elm-Mars, Hutchinson, Caledonia.

ERIE, PA.—Arrived—Gordon Campbell, Jennie. Cleared—Atwell, Kelly's Island.

FAIRPORT, O.—Arrived — Wawatam, Tunbury. Cleared—Harper, Nimick, Duluth.

MUSKEGON, MICH.—Cleared—Laura, Chicago; Norma, Fullman; Parks, Michigan City.

SOUTH CHICAGO, ILL. — Arrived — Unadilla. Cleared—Cadillac, Boyce, Plankinton, Barnum.

MENOMINEE, MICH.—Cleared—Baldwin, Carpenter, Butman, Curtis, Fassett, Holland, Reed, Buffalo.

MANISTEE, MICH.—Arrived—Madiator, Ottawa, Fick, Salied—Arundel, Sands, Loutit, Emeline, Chicago.

ASHTABULA, O.—Arrived—Huron City, Wenona, Haverford, St. Lawrence. Cleared—Forest City, Marquette.

MARQUETTE, MICH.—Arrived—Superior, Sandusky. Cleared—Continental, Holland. Cleveland. Passed up—Ketchum.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Arrived—Allegheny, Cormorant, Wall, Pioneer, Bay City, India. Cleared—Rhodes, Nahant, J. C. Lockwood.

STURGEON BAY, WIS.—Down—M. Dall, Boscobel and consorts, Held, Woods. Up—Wood, Goodman, Davis, Lyons, New York, Butcher Boy, Windbound—Phoenix.

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BEDS AND BEDROOMS.

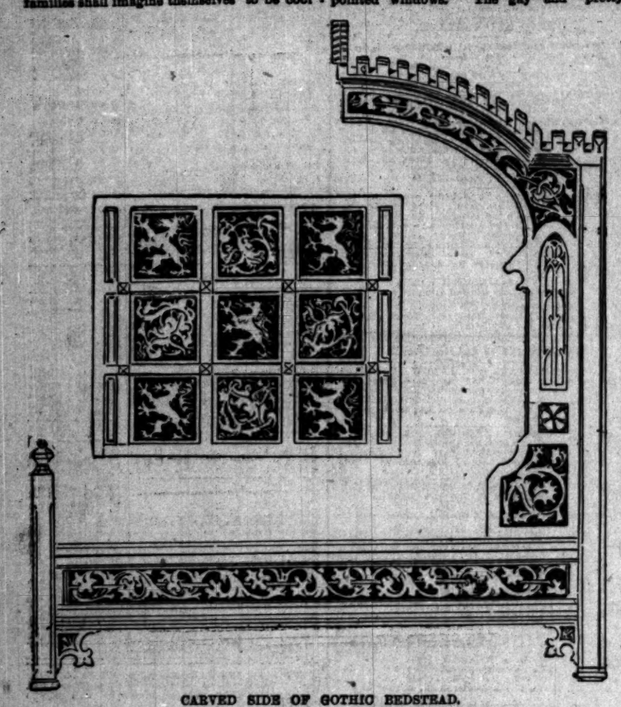
MODERN COUCHES AND CANOPIES FOR CHICAGO SUMMERS.

Carved Bedsteads in Queer Gothic Patterns—Four Posters with Old-Fashioned Mahogany Tester Frames—Possibilities of Brasswork and Enameled Iron—What Is in Fashion for Curtains—Bedside Tables Which Have Railings and Guard Their Contents from Disaster.

The first object of a bedroom should be to offer a quiet shelter wherein to sleep. In hot weather the shelter besides being still and clean should also seem restfully cool, and since Chicago summers make coolness and cleanliness extremely difficult of attainment clever housekeepers so dispose decorations, drapery, and furniture that they will present a refreshing although delusive aspect in the coming torrid days. After the strain of housecleaning those housewives are now busy resettling their affairs in such a way that their families shall imagine themselves to be cool roses as big as cabbages or with strange beasts formed in imitation of stamped leather if he likes. But it is usually best to remember that a bedroom is apt any day to figure as a sickroom and refrain from fastening upon the four walls thereof something which will add to the discomforts of fevers and headaches.

The question of floor coverings in bedrooms is an easy one to settle, for there is as a rule so little hard wear that a coat of paint or a low priced matting answers as a surface on which to scatter the numerous rugs which are now the thing. When the room is the mother's bedroom the wear is pretty sure to be of the very hardest sort, and a durable floor surface is advisable. But they belong in another class, those "mother's rooms."

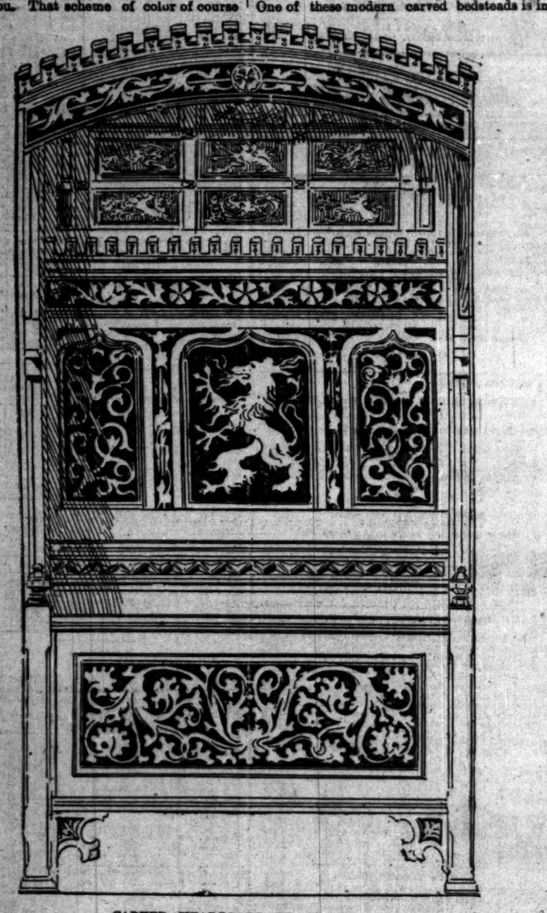
The window curtains of a bedroom are a really important matter and worth a housekeeper's earnest consideration, if she is the right kind of housekeeper who makes home literally a place of recreation. A good deal depends on some people's not being roused two or three hours before breakfast by any impertinent stray sunbeam, and awnings, blinds, double shades, and two sets of curtains are occasionally needed at eastern and southern windows. There should be such arrangements that one may have at will air without light, or both air and light in moderation. The point d'esprit net now so fashionable for curtains is excellent for the ornamental hangings which are the finishing touch at well appointed windows. The gay and pretty



CARVED SIDE OF GOTHIC BEDSTEAD.

chintzes are another good fashion of the day, especially when they are also used for other curtains about the room. And for a cool effect there are few things better than the sensible washed Japanese prints.

It is the bed, after all, that is the most important feature of the bedroom, it being the spot where the average human being spends one-third of his life. Not since the days of Louis XIV. has there been so much attention given to the making and decoration of bedsteads as there is today. The "Grand Monarch's" own gorgeous canopied couch was scarcely grander than the modern reproductions of the panel carving of Gothic times. One of these modern carved bedsteads is in



CARVED HEADBOARD OF BEDSTEAD.

has to be carried out in arranging the furniture. Pale greenish gray, which is quite as fashionable, makes a better background for other colors.

If a plain wash is thought too simple cartridge paper, that useful compromise between a plain and a decorated surface, answers capitally. With both plainly finished walls and those covered with cartridge papers wide friezes are used, with the all-pervading renaissance air in their intricate designs.

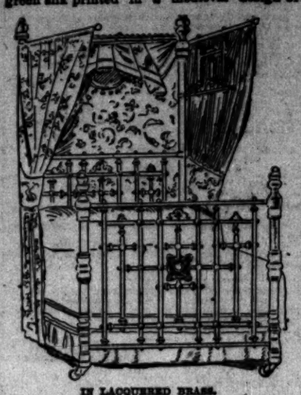
Among decorative wall-papers those that

A LITTLE BRASS COT.

are sold as "bedroom hangings" are too often dotty and spotty in design and not as satisfactory as those to be found by patient looking through the weariness and monstrosities of the dealers' sample books. There is more chance for individual choice in selecting a paper or anything else for a bedroom than for one of the general family rooms, and one is free to choose a hangung covered with flat relief which requires no undercutting. The designs on the different panels consist of heraldric animals and conventional scroll work. With such a support only rich stuffs are suitable for canopies, and the modern tapestries or heavy silken stuffs in the conventional Gothic patterns would be most appropriate.

Almost as imposing are the great four-post bedsteads, which have either been handed down from one generation to another or are modernly constructed to look that way. Such beds have an arched framework of the mahogany of which they are made, reaching from head to foot posts. Over the framework the curtain, or rather a fitted cover, is stretched. Sometimes it is of the old time figured silk, sometimes the queer chintzes of a hundred years ago are used, the chintzes whereupon long-tailed peacocks are to be observed caroling in groves of overgrown currant bushes.

More easily obtainable than either of these sorts of bedsteads are the admirable and fashionable brass ones which with their new provision of air mattresses are very near perfection for summer nights. There are brass beds with testers for the people who like testers, and quite as pretty ones without testers for the people who think all bed curtains are stuffy. For those who halt between two opinions, who think the canopies good to look at but not wholesome to sleep under, there is an intermediate course in the bed that has a rail at each side from which a curtain may be hung but with nothing to shut out the air from above. There are, too, the enameled iron bed, the black ones highly sensible in appearance and the white or light colored ones as brilliant as their brass fittings can make them. The small brass cots are often arranged with a canopy which covers them everywhere except in front, as if they were sofas meant for royal personages. Almost all the canopies in these days are elaborately made. Of various recently finished specimens more or less beautiful, one for a rosewood bed was of stripes of pale pink crêpe de chine with torchon lace. Another was of point d'esprit net over pale blue satin, and a more serviceable neighbor of this last delicate canopy was one of chintz in the same pale blue, striped with clear white. An unusually large brass bed with a big square tester frame was entirely fitted up with dull green silk printed in a medieval design of



IN LACQUERED BRASS.

globes and palm leaves. The round bolster was smoothly covered with the hideous stuff, and there was a vast spread, its valance accurately fitted, and full curtains which could only suggest perpetual nightmare.

By the side of the bed there may well be a good, sleepy-looking chair offering a gentle transition from waking to sleep or back again. Or nervous, uncomfortable sleepers may prefer one of those nice little low tables with a turned up edge all around so that when one reaches out to scratch a match during the interminable small hours he will not knock off the matchsafe, water jug, and night light.

The new washstands are everything that can be asked. They are big enough for one thing, and they have a framework of tiles at the back so that they do not need any nonsense about them by way of "splashers" of swiss muslin or painted frog ponds. And there is free choice at present in the matter of bureaus, for the arrival of the brass bed put an end to the "chamber suit of furniture," and anyone can have the sort of toilet table he or she likes—little odd three-cornered affairs which keep out of the way, or long dressing tables which take up half one side of the room, bureaus which when open reveal wardrobe possibilities, and French bureaus in which is revealed nothing in particular except mirrors and ormolu. In every way the modern bedroom offers an opportunity to have one's own way for weal or woe.

MODERN SORTS OF EARTHENWARE.

Pottery Plates and Porridge Bowls Are Fashionable and Serviceable.

One reason why it is convenient to use separate sets for the different courses instead of keeping to the traditional "dinner service," is that one may then have the heavier potteries for the earlier courses when they seem in keeping, and reserve the finer porcelains for the end of the dinner, when both food and service

AN OLD FAVORITE RESTORED.

are supposed to be of as light and delicate a character as possible. For the soup service, with which to begin the evening meal, or the porridge set at breakfast, the thick earthenwares are suitable and fashionable. That old favorite, the "willow ware" of colonial days, or the ever popular onion dresden, with its border of lily-like vegetable, or the modern reproductions of the spode which Copeland ware superseded—the funny old spode with its amusing way of treating landscapes—either one is serviceable and durable. And after handling these thick plates it is all the more agreeable at dessert to touch the ice-cream plates of fair cream-colored and gold minton, or those on which the fruit is served of French or Italian dresden, almost as fine as the petals of the flowers with which they are decorated.

WHY IS FRIDAY CLEANING DAY?

One of the Deepest Mysteries Is the Routine of Housework.

I wish some philosophic sharp would tell me why the majority of women clean up house Friday. I don't suppose the answer would be particularly thrilling, but the query invariably occurs to me every Friday morning when I am awakened by the cold draft sweeping through the house and look out of the window to see all the curtains of the neighborhood tied up or drawn far asunder.

"Because it's an unlucky day," replied a housekeeper of my acquaintance.

"Because it's hangman's day," said another.

"Because," said another, "it's the only day in the week we have to do it in. There's the washing Monday, ironing Tuesday, baking Wednesday, calling or receiving Thursday, and baking again Saturday."

"Because," says another, "it takes six days in the week to get ready for Sunday, and cleaning house comes in in regular order. Anybody ought to see that."

But I don't see it. I don't see why a house should be any cleaner Sunday than on any other day, says a man in the New York *Herald*. I don't see why it isn't just as well to hang out the family wash Wednesday as upon Monday. Yet I have known women who wouldn't have a flat unless they could wash Monday. As five floors of two families each can't dry in the back yard and on the roof on the same day, and the Monday prejudice is very strong, landlords have had to erect huge telegraph poles in the rear of flat houses, from which poles lines are operated on a level of each floor. This system also affords the additional pleasure of a near view of the number and character of your neighbors' family wash. There must be some substantial reason for a woman doing just as her neighbors do and what all women in the civilized world do and have been doing for hundreds of years.

Lace Capes and Parasols.

There are pretty capes made this spring to match the new parasols. Sometimes both wrap and parasol are of a dark color like the gown. Sometimes they are elaborately fashioned of ribbons and white lace. One such becoming little cape is

CAPE AND PARASOL TO MATCH.

of black satin in combination with the heavy cream-colored Venetian lace so much worn at present. There is a ruche of black satin at the throat, and satin ribbons tie it at the waist. The same heavy lace is gathered on the black satin parasol, where it has a much fuller effect than the thin French laces when used in the same way. The fashion of capes and parasols "in sets" is an old one revived, and the delicate affairs of plain white net over white taffeta have a distinctly old-time look.

HISTORY OF A DOLL.

POLLY SUMNER AND HER CAREER OF OVER A CENTURY.

First Appearance in Boston After a Journey from England—How Mistress Sumner Was Tempted by a Court Dress of Brocade—Glimpses of Colonial Life—Various Costumes Which the Little Centenarian Has Worn—The Quaker Lady's Photographs and Many Honors.

Beside me, as I write, sits my latest and most distinguished visitor, a quaint little lady in Quaker gray, Polly Sumner, aged 119 years, writes Caro Atherton Dugan in the *New England Magazine*.

Polly was a native of England, and in the autumn of 1773 was shipped for the colonies. She made her first appearance in Boston on the morning of Dec. 16, 1773, being then placed in the window of a shop where English goods were sold, on Cornhill, not far from the Old South Meeting-House. On that occasion she was not dressed after her present demure fashion, but was splendid in the English court dress of the period, wearing a gown of rich

AN HISTORIC DOLL.

brocade that stood out stiff and fine over a large hoop, having pearl beads about her neck, and on her round little head a cap with curling ostrich plumes. She looked fresh and bright, none the worse for her voyage over the seas from the mother country, and, indeed, the good English oak of which she was made might well stand rougher usage.

One morning, about a week after the Boston "tea party," a four-wheeled chaise drew up before the window, in obedience to the order of its occupant, a lady with a young, bright face, who leaned eagerly forward to look at Polly.

"John," she said to her servant, "go into the shop and ask the price of that doll in the window."

John returned with the information that the price was one pound. The lady gave another wistful look at Polly, hesitated a moment, but finally gave the order to drive on. Money was scarce in those days before the war, and, although the little lady's purse was well filled, she felt that it would be a bit of extravagance to give that price for a doll. But an hour later, when her purchases were made and she was on her way home, she again brought the chaise to a standstill before the shop window and took another look at Polly. She was a young wife and had no children for whom to buy the doll, but her impulse grew steadily stronger to buy Polly.

"I know they will all laugh at me," she thought, with a smile and a blush, "but I think I really must have this doll."

So John was sent in to make the purchase, and Miss Polly was consigned to a box and handed into the chaise.

At Roxbury, in an old two-story, gambrel-roofed house, shaded by magnificent trees, lived the Sumner family, to which Polly's mistress belonged. A bevy of girls looked out of the windows, and a chorus of merry voices exclaimed, as she entered the door: "Why, Polly, what have you there?"

"Now don't laugh at me!" said pretty Mrs. Polly, in a half-shy, coaxing way. "I couldn't help buying her, though she did cost a pound."

"A pound! You dear, extravagant child!" laughed the sisters, as they seized upon the doll and proceeded to admire and exclaim over her.

"Never mind, dear," said Miss Amy, another sister, patting Mrs. Polly affectionately on the shoulder. "You are better worth indulging than most people, and John is not to blame for finding it out. We will give the doll due honor by naming it after its mistress—Polly Sumner—and will lay it aside in lavender for future use."

So Polly Sumner the Second was laid away in a chest in the attic to wait for the advent of a child mistress. I wish I had room to tell of half the eventful scenes in which our Polly bore a part. She was a constant companion of little Abigail Sumner, her mistress' first daughter, and her sisters for many a year. In their arms she became a frequent visitor at the old Auchmuty House, which she had first entered on Bunker Hill day. It became, in 1779, the home of Increase Sumner, a cousin of Mrs. Polly's, and the future Governor of the State, and Polly soon grew familiar with its fine old rooms and broad terraces, and with the commanding figure of its owner.

In the stately old days of Washington's Presidency Polly had at times a glimpse of society life, when the hospitable doors of the Sumners or Williamses were opened to admit guests. She saw ladies in beautiful silk and brocades, with elaborately dressed and powdered hair, and gentlemen in wigs and small clothes, with fine velvet coats and embroidered vests, exchanging formal courtesies and mingling in the minuet and contra dance.

Thirty-one years later, Polly, in the arms of Mistress Abigail's youngest daughter, a bright-faced girl of 14 years, stood at a window of the Sumner house listening again to the familiar thunder of guns from the old Roxbury fort, and following the sweep of rockets through the air; but this time their message was one of welcome, not of menace, and Polly had the pleasure of seeing the good Lafayette ride past on his way to enjoy the hospitalities of the old Eustis mansion.

On this occasion Polly wore the dress of the young girl of the period, a merino gown of blue with low neck and short sleeves, a vandyke or ruffled cape of white cambric, a little bonnet of Dunstable straw tied with blue ribbon, pantalettes, white open-worked stockings and shoes of tea-colored kid, bound with blue. Her coloring was somewhat dimmed by time, and her arms and legs a trifle unsteady, but in all other respects she was the same Polly.

Many years of active service did Polly Sumner know, for Abigail's grandchildren began to claim her as the youngest of Abigail's children and nieces laid her aside.

Polly remembers a gay sleigh ride through the crowd that thronged Boston Neck the day that she finally left Roxbury to take up her abode in one of the fine old houses that overlook Boston Common.

In this house she dwelt through the eventful years of the civil war, and from its windows she saw many a regiment depart for Southern battlefields.

After the war, the family life being broken up for a time, Polly was deposited in the Norfolk Bank with other valuables, as an interesting family relic. After a few years of retirement and oblivion she again saw the light, this time as the property of Mrs. Langley, the selfsame Mary Williams who had been Polly's little mistress and playfellow years before; and in this lady's possession she still remains.

Mrs. Langley found Polly in rather a sad condition, minus legs and arms, and much faded by time and constant use. A touch of paint brought back the color to lips and cheeks, and limbs of cloth and kid took the place of the missing wooden members. Polly was then dressed in her present modest and matronly fashion, as became a person of her age and experience, and it is certain that in days of her utmost splendor of attire she could never have excited greater interest or admiration than she does today.

The Old South Meeting House is now used as a museum for historical relics, and one day Polly entered its doors, and was given a seat of honor beneath the great pulpit window through which on March 5, 1775, Warren entered to fearlessly deliver his oration on the Boston Massacre. Beside her lay a card on which was written:

Polly Sumner, purchased by Mrs. Williams, a relative of Gov. Sumner, in 1773. The old English oak of which she is made enabled her to withstand the caresses and abuses of five generations.

Here, within sight of the spot where she was bought more than a hundred years before, Polly held her court for two years. At the end of that time she was taken home to be the temporary playmate of little Annie Williams, the youngest grandchild of Mrs. Langley, who was then visiting her Boston relatives.

In the arms of this dear little representative of the fifth generation Polly sat to have a photograph taken, in which her look of demure intelligence is marvelous to see.

After little Annie's departure Polly was invited to take a trip into Roxbury and grace a church fair with her presence. Again she journeyed out over Boston Neck and speedily found herself in a room devoted entirely to dolls. There were dolls of every style of beauty and all imaginable richness and variety of dress; but our Polly, in her Quaker gray, took the prize as being the most notable doll of them all.

Her next appearance was at a lunch given in Danvers to an English literature class connected with the Woman's club. Mrs. Langley was a member, and, being quite as fond and proud of Polly as her great aunt Amy of blessed memory, she resolved that little lady should accompany her on this occasion. Polly was received with enthusiastic rounds of applause, and was seated at table in a child's high chair, the most honored member of the company, as well she might be.

Who of them but Polly had lived under the rule of George III., through the administrations of twenty-three Presidents, and two wars that made and saved a nation?

GAY GOWNS FOR GARDEN PARTIES.

Bright Colored Dresses to Wear on the Lawn.

Among the gowns prepared for the coming summer's garden parties and other outdoor gatherings are some as simple as if there were no prevailing mania for furbelows. One, for example, has a full plain skirt of white wool canvas with a fine silk stripe. The heliotrope silk yoke of the bodice is covered with cream colored guipure lace which also forms sleeve wings and a full bertha. A long wide sash of soft heliotrope silk is knotted at one side and falls to the edge of the skirt.

One of the pleasant things about life in the summer time is that the bright colors people are now wearing look so suitable and pretty on the grass and under the trees. A little crêpon costume, meant to be so worn, has two insertions of cream-colored guipure in the gored skirt and jacket-shaped pieces of the same lace upon the corsage. Another garden party dress is of shot green and white

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silk with a great deal of deep green velvet ribbon. The enormous mutton-leg sleeves are gathered below the elbow into three puffs. A darker dress than any of these is of deep blue bengaline with a chemisette of white surah and extremely full sleeve wings of white lace.

All the old-fashioned striped chinè and changeable silks, which have been restored to use seem particularly well adapted for summer afternoon wear, and a group of this season's costumes, white and gold, white and blue, white and mauve, or white and green, look as if copied from old pictures of French garden parties.

LADY BRASSEY'S BLACK TOY PUGS

Distinguished Descendants of Jack Spratt, Who Sailed in the Sunbeam.

Among the queer things the first Lady Brassey brought home in the famous yacht Sunbeam were a pair of jet black pugs from

LADY BRASSEY'S FIRST BLACK PUG.

Pekin. They proved hardier than most Chinese dogs and thrived at Normanhurst, where their mistress began to breed the jet black creatures, now the height of fashion in England. Queen Victoria made a great pet of one which Lady Brassey gave her, and named it Brassey in honor of the gentle explorer. Brassey traveled everywhere with his royal mistress, and died regretted at Windsor in 1891.

Lady Brassey first exhibited her black pugs in 1886 at a show in Maidstone, where she en-

A BLACK NAPOLEON.

tered the original Jack Spratt and his fatty offspring. Jack Spratt had then the humiliation of being defeated by his own daughter, Jacopa. At that dog show the judge was Miss Holdsworth, herself a breeder of excellent pugs.

Lady Brassey's own favorite was Sharp, little Nap. The Napoleon strain is the smartest and best set up of these toy pugs and is quite different from the original type.

Miss Fawcett an Electrical Engineer.

Miss Fawcett, the young Englishwoman of recent "above-the-senior-wrangler" fame, has adopted the profession of electrical engineer.

HOMES IN TOW BOATS.

HOW THE HOUSEKEEPERS WHO LIVE IN CANALS CONTRIVE.

Families Spend Their Existence in the Fleet—Children Are Born and Grow Up Wholesome and Happy Without Ever Spending a Month Ashore—Miniature Kitchens Which Are Models of Convenience—Transformation Scenes in the Cabins—Keeping Cool "in Tow."

"They all look alike," said a woman standing on the wharf at the Erie Basin, in South Brooklyn, a few weeks ago. "How may we find the one we want?"

She was looking as she spoke over the big fleet of more than 300 canalboats and the solid rows of vessels, stem bumping against stern and stern in turn against stem, varied so little in general appearance that a casual observer is pardonably confused.

A cleated plank was descended, and from one deck to another, with a freedom which nobody questioned or seemed to resent, though faces occasionally appeared at cabin windows, by a circuitous route and with more than one halt to take bearings the special boat sought was at last reached.

Its position in the heart of the flotilla made it an admirable vantage point for a survey of this unique settlement.

Here every winter during the weeks when canal navigation is closed lives a flourishing community of families that a writer in the New York *Times* has been visiting. The still life is not quite so pleasant, perhaps, as the floating existence of the spring, summer, and autumn, being more monotonous, but it is a comfortable and busy time, particularly to the, not house mothers, but boat mothers, of the fleet.

The boats are never abandoned, but in the snug cabins family life goes on as regularly and satisfactorily, all things considered, as if its shelter were a conventional house and its environment a plot of ground. Children are born and grow to adult life on these boats, never living ashore, but their lives are far from restricted.

It is a very healthful life, eight months of the year being practically spent in the open air, and the complexions of the canal people show as a rule a fresh ruddiness that land folk do not secure. Even the winter hibernation is not unwholesome, the cases of illness being many fewer than among a similar number of persons ashore.

What delights the housekeeping woman, however, is the ingenuity with which the mistress of the canalboat residence manages her tiny domain. The miniature kitchen of a French appartement is the proverbial much-in-little ideal of this sort, but the mistress of one of these mastless ships can give the Frenchwoman points on compactness which would astonish her.

The kitchen is the small but convenient stove range over in a zinc-lined corner, its tins and porcelains hanging behind and above, shaming in their polished glitter the traditional coppers of a man-of-war's galley. A deep cupboard running into the hold keeps the heavier kettles and roasting pans out of sight. The hostess touches a spring at one side of her stove and then at the other. Two sliding doors glide out in response and traveling grooves laid at right angles meet with a hook, shutting off completely the kitchen corner. When the partitions have vanished again, like the tricks in the pantomime, she points to a large circular hooded opening directly above the range, which, closed on this sharp day, is open in summer to draw off heat and cooking odors.

"As to the sun pouring on the roof," she says, "most of the boats are fitted with awnings that temper this and still allow the free circulation of air, which when we are in motion is always to be had." And the satisfied inquirer gives a sigh of relief. "I'm glad to have that burden off my mind. I've often in midsummer watched a 'tow' on the Hudson from the deck of a day steamer or a boat on the canal from a car window and felt a wave of sympathy wish what I fancied must be a great discomfort; and now I shall never have to again."

In a deep embrasure quite at the other end of the cabin was a "cozy corner." A short divan was cretonne-covered and piled with pillows and offered tempting lounging, while it added a wonderfully effective touch of comfort to the whole interior.

But this, it proved, was only one of its phases. A few manipulations produced a double bed, which, with a second open stateroom berth on the other side, most inviting in its immaculate daintiness, afforded ample sleeping accommodations for four persons.

And then another magical transformation ensued. A cord at the side of the cabin was released, and, from the ceiling where it was so snugly rolled as to have escaped observation, a very wide shade of heaviest opaque material, stiff and unyielding, descended to the floor, followed an instant later by a second, crosswise, converting the cabin into two commodious and secluded bedrooms.

When the shade walls had again effaced themselves the evolution of the dining-room was next watched with admiring interest. A table strewn with books and newspapers shed its load and was pulled out for extension. The extra leaves were fitted in a deep drawer niche in the framework of one of the stationary berths. Soon a table of hospitable length was ready.

China, glass, and silver appeared from a sideboard locker fitted across a recess at one side of the stairs; its drawers yielded napery and knives, forks, and spoons. Tiny doors and panels here and there gave up various appetizing treasures, and in almost as short a time as the telling of it has taken a hungry party was seated around a board whose savory expectations, it may be whispered, were most amply and deliciously fulfilled.

The exquisite neatness of these canalboat cabins is a prominent characteristic.

"It's like a convent," said one of the young women, who had been educated in such a place, and "One could eat off the floor," added an older woman, who was a housekeeper.

"We have to be neat," explained the hostess, modestly, though she should and probably does know that many persons have to be neat who are not.

"What do you do when the wind blows?" was the next cause for surmise.

"We do not feel it, came the reply, and then it was seen that these sunken cabins are like the cyclone caves and cellars, the wind sweeps over and not into or around them.

No thumping of the waves outside in the bay affects these serried ranks of boats. They lie close and snug in the basin, secure from the elements and protected from the weather. The children go to school, the men attend to various details of business or take temporary regular employment, and the women busy themselves with household duties, overlook wardrobes, make up summer clothing for the entire family, visit each other in a friendly manner, go to church Sundays, and in fact, spend a cheerful, contented season.

"We do sigh for spring a little when the days begin to lengthen," it was admitted in response to a question. "And the exhilaration of the first trip is delightful. But I am glad by November to think of settling down. We are very busy when in motion, particularly on the horse boats, which need a number of men to operate them. These men have to be cooked for, which much increases the work.

"Ours, being a steamer, needs no such complement of men, and I am favored, too, in having three cabins for use, as we draw only two other boats with us. But I find plenty to do, and the long summer days are hardly long enough to give me much leisure."

"Another disillusion." This from the young woman over in the cosy corner. "I've never thought of bustle or hurry in connection with canalboats. At least you don't have to be prompt anywhere?"

It was the Captain who laughed now.

"Why, a railway engineer does not count his minutes much more closely than we do," said he. "We are as tenacious to make our schedule time at every point as an express train, and to reduce the period of transit between our plying stations is as important a consideration to us as the revision of the tariff."

"O, don't!" came from the cretonne pillows, deprecatingly. "I've been lounging here, watching the pretty picture the cabin makes, and thinking how delightful it would be to dawdle in this comfortable nest, and glide slowly through a waveless sea free from rush and confusion and effort; it's a positive blow to have the lovely fancy shattered."

"This must be an ideal canalboat," pronounced the young woman as, after "Goodbyes," the party set their faces homeward. "I cannot believe they are all like it. I shall never forget that dainty place."

And everybody said "Amen."

Foreign Born.

One half the population of Minnesota and the Dakotas is foreign born.

VERSES OF THE DAY.

Aunt Jemima's Quilt.

A miracle of gleaming dyes,
Blue, scarlet, buff, and green;
O, ne'er before by mortal eyes
Such gorgeous hues were seen!
So grandly was its plan designed,
So cunningly 'twas built,
The whole proclaimed a master mind—
My Aunt Jemima's quilt.

Each friendly household far and wide
Contributed its share;
It chronicled the country side
In colors quaint and rare.
From belles and brides came pink brocade
Enwrought with threads of gold;
E'en buxom widows lent their aid
To Aunt Jemima's quilt.

No tapestry from days of yore,
No web from Orient looms,
But paled in beauteous tints before
This strange expanse of blooms.
Here glittering stars and comets shone
O'er flowers that never wilt;
Here fluttered birds from worlds unknown
On Aunt Jemima's quilt.

O, merry was the quilting bee,
When this great quilt was done!
The rafters rang with maiden glee,
And hearts were lost and won.
Ne'er did a throne of braver men
In war clash hilt to hilt,
Than sought the smiles of beauty then
Round Aunt Jemima's quilt.

This work of art my aunt decreed
The glory of the age;
No poet's eyes have ever feasted
More proudly o'er his page.
Were other quilt to this compared,
Her nose would upward tilt;
Such impudence was seldom dared
O'er Aunt Jemima's quilt.

Her dear old hands have gone to dust,
That once were lithe and deft;
Her needles keen are thick with rust,
That flashed so nimbly bright.
And here it lies by her beloved,
Stained with the tears we spilt,
Safe folded in this cedar chest—
My Aunt Jemima's quilt.

—*Samuel Minturn Peck in the New England Magazine.*

The Heart of the Tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree?
He plants the friend of sun and skies;
He plants the flag of breezes free;
The shaft of beauty, towering high;
He plants a home to heaven anigh
For song and mother-croon of bird
In hushed and happy twilight heard—
The treble of heaven's harmony—
These things he plants who plants a tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree?
He plants cool shade and tender rain,
And seed and bud of days to be,
And years that fade and flush again;
He plants the glory of the plain;
He plants the forest's heritage;
The harvest of a coming age;
The joy that unborn eyes shall see—
These things he plants who plants a tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree?
He plants in sun and leaf, and wood,
In love of home and loyalty
And far-cast thought of civic good—
His blessing on the neighborhood.
Who in the hollow of his hand
Holds all the growth of all our land—
A nation's growth from sea to sea
Blirs in his heart who plants a tree.

—*H. G. Bunner in the Century.*

One Charm of Spring.

"O, poet, tell me why
You love to try
Such frequent flights to wing
With spring.
Though other seasons bring
Themes worth your carolling,
You seem to cling
To spring."
He paused ere he replied,
And then he sighed.
"I sing
Of spring
Because most anything
Will rhyme with spring."

—*Industries.*

Over the Sea Lies Spain.

Perhaps they may count me a beggar here,
With never a roof for the wind and the rain;
But there is the sea with its wave-lashed piers,
And over the sea lies Spain.

And there am I held by title high:
As befitteth the lord of a broad demesne;
For there is my kingdom, and here am I,
With only the sea between.

And what if the sea be deep, be deep,
And what if the sea be wide?
Some day I shall float in my own fair boat,
And sail to the other side.

A certain man in the city I meet,
As he steps to his coach at the curbstone there
From a solemn house in a stately street—
You would know him rich by his air.

He gives me a finger or two to hold,
Or only a passing nod may deign;
He does not know of my title and gold,
My castles and lands in Spain.

But what care I for his bonds and stocks!
No solemn house in the city for me!
His are the ships that lie at the docks,
But I have a ship at sea.

And what if the land be far, be far,
And what if the sea be wide?
Some day I shall sail with a favoring gale
To a port on the other side.

And now while I lie on the seabeach here,
With the fisherman yonder mending his nets,
I know that only the sea sweeps clear
'Twixt me and my castle in Spain.

I can see the sun on its airy towers,
And a white hand beckon from over sea;
I can smell the breath of the rosy bowers,
Where somebody waits for me.

So content do I walk in this world of men,
To which by an alien name I am known!
But how it will gape in wonder when
Don Carlos comes to his own!

Be never the land so far, so far,
Be never so broad the main,
There's a ship on the sea that belongs to me,
And over the sea lies Spain.

—*Charles Washington Coleman in the Century.*

An Indignant Scholar.

Such a horrid jography lesson!
Cities and mountains and lakes,
And the longest, crookedest rivers,
Just wriggling about like snakes.

I tell you, I wish Columbus
Hadn't heard the earth was a ball,
And started to find new countries
That folks didn't need at all.

Now, wouldn't it be too lovely
If all that you had to find out
Was just about Spain and England,
And a few other lands thereabout.

And the rest of the maps were painted
With pink and yellow, to say,
"All this is an unknown region
Where bogies and fairies stay?"

But what is the use of wishing
Since Columbus sailed over here,
And men keep hunting and 'xploring
And finding more things every year?

Now show me the Yampah River,
And tell me, where does it flow,
And how do you bound Montana?
And Utah and Mexico?

—*Phrenological Journal.*

Augury.

A horseshoe nailed, for luck, upon a mast;
That mast, wave-bleached, upon the shore was cast!
I saw, and thence no fetich I revered,
But safe through tempest to my haven steered.

The place with rose and myrtle was overgrown,
Yet Feud and Sorrow held it for their own.
A garden then I vowed without one fear—
Sowed fennel, yet lived grieflese all the year.

Brave lines, long life, did my friend's hand for me play.
Not so mine own; yet mine is quick today.
Once more in his I read Fate's idle jest,
Then fold it down forever on his breast.

—*Edith M. Thomas.*

A Calendar of Seasons.

JANUARY.

White, all white, and cold!
Is this the beginning, or end?
The first of the new, or the last of the old?
Death, or a livelier friend?

APRIL.

There's a throb in the heart of the land,
And a spirit moves over the deep;
"Arise!" and the lusty youth shall stand!
It was not death, but sleep.

JULY.

Now booms the lazies bee
Across wide-yellowing fields;
Does the reaper whet his scythe for me
Or the grain their promise yields?

OCTOBER.

Ah! for the boyish days!
For the apple blossoms lost!
Ere a summer's heat and autumn haze
Foretold the wintry frost.

But mine are the fuller years
There is fruit on the bended bough;
Let the joy of harvest banish tears!
Way means the blossoms now!

—*Walter Morris Digelow in The Critic.*